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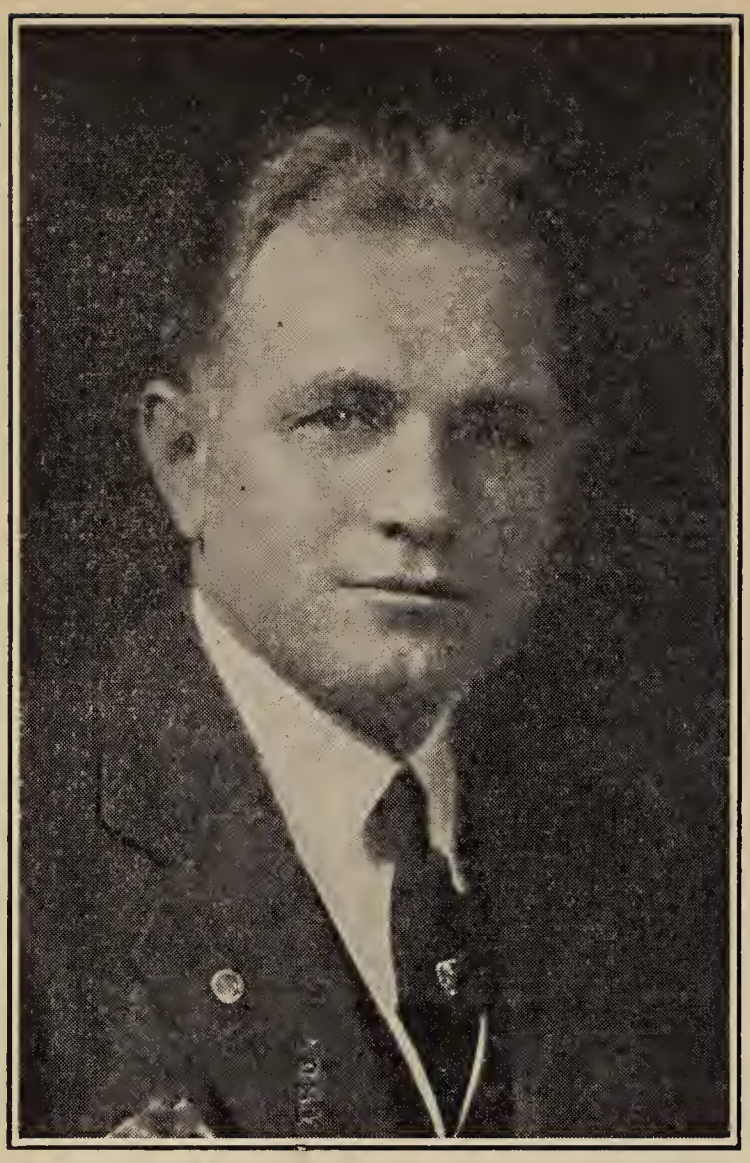

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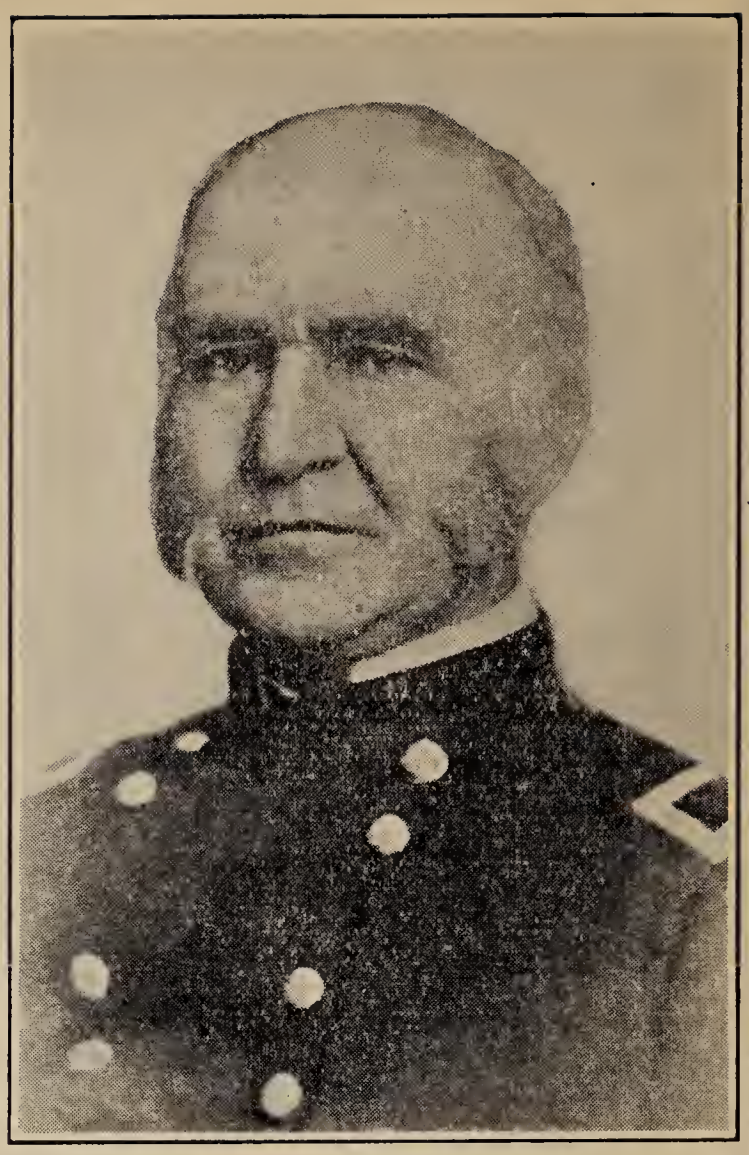

GENERAL BENJAMIN ROBERTS

GENERAL LORD ROBERTS
British Army

SAMUEL HENRY ROBERTS
Prominent Attorney of Chicago, Ill., California

BATTLE HYMN OF THE ROBERTS

TUNE: BATTLE HYMN OF THE REPUBLIC

A Norman was the ancient sire of all the Roberts Tribe;
His seed was sown in England where they greatly multiplied;
The Roberts are all loyal to their faith and family pride!
The clan goes marching on!

Chorus: Glory to the Tribe Robertus!
Glory to the name of Roberts!
Glory to our grand old family!
The clan goes marching on!

William, Stephen, Thomas, John, were fathers of our clan;
Posterity of Samuel and Barnabas never ran.
Cadwalader was virile, Edward was a sturdy man.
The clan goes marching on!

John-athan signed a document which made a nation great;
Albert served the people in a grand old southern state;
George, at Stone River, facing danger, didn't hesitate.
The clan goes marching on!

We like the name Robertus, there is music in the word:
What made our name so famous and throughout the world adored?
Samuel did it with the pen, Lord Roberts with the sword.
The clan goes marching on!

The Roberts hail from England, Scotland and the Emerald Isle;
We love our British cousins in that good old Saxon style;
Blood's thicker than the water separating us awhile.
The clan goes marching on!

The Roberts all are loyal to the good old U. S. A.
We love the flag of freedom and will follow it for aye.
The Roberts do their duty and they never run away.
The clan goes marching on!

The Roberts sons are faithful, Roberts daughters true and sweet;
More noble sires and mothers you could never hope to meet.
The stories of their lives and deeds with pleasure we repeat.
The clan goes marching on!

We must prove worthy of our place on Roberts Family Tree.
Let Roberts standards with the highest in the world agree.
We owe a duty to the generations yet to be.
The clan goes marching on!

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(A) INTRODUCTION

THE Roberts Family is among the forty-nine "best families" selected by the American Historical-Genealogical Society for whom the Society has published family histories during the past few years.

The Roberts Family has been prominent in the British Empire and in the United States, its members having played important roles in war and in peace. Family pride is a commendable trait and should be cultivated. All Roberts have just cause to be proud of their family history and traditions.

In references No. 10, No. 7 and No. 14 we find the following regarding the origin and meaning of the name Roberts:

The surname "Roberts," like "Robarts" and "Robins," is derived from "Robert"—a name which has held its place against all counter influences from the moment which first brought it into public favor. It was also exceedingly popular in its shortened forms, "Hob" and "Dob," which gave us "Dobbs," "Hopkins" and many others. It is a Teutonic personal name of great antiquity, introduced into England at the time of the Conquest, and frequently found in Domesday Book as "Rotbertus."

The influence of the name was enormous, as the number of persons bearing surnames derived from it amply testify.

The data in this volume is gathered from reliable sources. We have selected what we consider the most important material. Many of the daughters, and sons for whom no issue was shown, have been omitted from the pedigrees. A missing symbol indicates that a name has been omitted. Those desiring further information are advised to consult the volumes mentioned in the list of References.

The compiler hopes that, in producing this volume, he is bringing to the Roberts Family information which will be of interest and value to them, and that he is rendering an important service to the public. He and his associates will be glad to give their co-operation to members of the family who are interested in having a complete genealogy of the family published.

Unless otherwise plainly shown, the persons in this volume whose names are accompanied by three figures are children of the immediately preceding persons bearing immediately preceding numbers. All persons in each group bearing the same letter as a part of their numbers are directly related. The generations of the descendants of those bearing numbers of three figures are represented as follows. However, some of our material is published as copied from various records without rearrangement according to this system.

Generations	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
Symbols	(1), etc.	(A), etc.	(a), etc.	1, etc.	A, etc.
Generations	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
Symbols	a, etc.	(I), etc.	(i), etc.	I, etc.	i, etc.

Abbreviations: add., address; b., born; ch., children; coll., college; d., died; d. y., died young; d. w. i., died without issue; dau., daughter; grad., graduated; l., lives, lived; m., married, moved; s., son, succeeded; d. s. p., died without issue; d. v. p., died before father; univ., university.

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(B) THE ROBERTS COAT OF ARMS

A COAT of Arms is an emblem or a device which is displayed by titled persons, persons of royal blood, and their descendants. Coats of Arms were originally used for purposes of identification and recognition on the field of battle as well as in civil life.

It is claimed by some writers that Coats of Arms, in a crude form, were used by Noah's sons after the flood. There are records of other Coats of Arms, in one crude form or another, at different periods of ancient history. Heraldry, however, as we know it today, did not become of much importance until soon after the invasion of England by William the Conqueror, A. D. 1066. Heraldry became of general interest at about the time of the Crusades.

The Roberts Coat of Arms shown in the front of this volume is the Arms of the Roberts of Cornwall; Barnstaple, Devonshire; Twickenham, Middlesex; and, with slight variations, of the Roberts of Lanhyderock, Cornwall, and the Roberts, Earls of Radnor. Authorities all agree that it was granted by Camden, King of Arms, in 1614. Coats of Arms very similar to it are used by Roberts, formerly of City of Waterford, and by other Roberts families of Wales, Ireland and England. Numerous other branches of the family have arms resembling it.

This is the most widely used of all Roberts Coats of Arms. It is described in BURKE'S GENERAL ARMORY, BURKE'S LANDED GENTRY, BURKE'S PEERAGE AND BARONETAGE, Guillim's HERALDRY DISPLAYED and other reliable works on heraldry, in some cases accompanied by illustrations and pedigrees. It has been used for generations by many American branches of the Roberts family.

	HERALDIC LANGUAGE	ENGLISH DESCRIPTION
Arms	Azure, three estoiles and a chief, wavy, or.	A blue shield on which are three star-shaped figures below a wavy band, all gold.
Crest	A lion, rampant, or, holding a sword, wavy, erect, argent, pommel and hilt of the first.	A golden lion rampant, holding erect a silver sword with pommel and hilt of gold.
Motto	Quae supra (Latin)	Which things are above.

In the Washington Memorial Chapel at Valley Forge this Coat of Arms is carved upon the choir stall which commemorates the Pennsylvania regiments in the brigade at one time commanded by General Conway. It was given by Miss Frances A. Roberts, in memory of Elizabeth Cuthbert Roberts, 2nd, and her ancestor, John Roberts. Below the family arms is this inscription:

In Memoriam
Elizabeth Cuthbert Roberts, 2nd
June 20th, 1832-March 25th, 1916
Direct descendant of John Roberts, of Caernarvonshire, North Wales, who came to this country in 1683 and settled in Merion on the site of the present Roberts' homestead, Pencoyd.

Sir Bernard Burke, of Heralds College, London, said: "Heraldry is prized by all who can show honorable ancestry or wish to found honorable families."

Besides its family significance this Coat of Arms makes an excellent mural decoration and inspires the admiration and comment of all who see it.

It is quite appropriate that members of the Roberts family who have a pride in their ancestry should display the family Coat of Arms, in proper colors.

(C) ANCIENT ROBERTS FAMILIES

THE following titled Roberts families are listed in "BURKE'S GENERAL ARMORY": Glassenbury, co. Kent (two families); Borzell, Ticehurst and Stonehouse, co. Sussex; Drybridge, co. Monmouth, and Stourbridge, co. Worcester; Comb Martin, co. Devon; Sutton Cheveil, co. Leicester; co. Leicester, Francis Roberts, Esq.; Willesden, co. Middlesex, bart., 1700; Stepney, co. Middlesex; Bristol, Westerly, co. Gloucester; Beechfield, Bromley, co. Kent; Llangedwin, co. Montgomery; co. Kent; cos. Lincoln and Worcester, and London; Bow, co. Middlesex; co. Cornwall, and Twickenham, co. Middlesex; Barnstaple, co. Devon; Milford Haven, co. Pembroke; Liskeard, co. Cornwall; Coeddu, co. Flint; cos. Salop and Somerset; Wales; Field House, co. Worcester; Crompton-Roberts, Sunnyside, Regent's Park, London; Corfton Manor, co. Salop; Ombersley, co. Worcester, Camberwell, co. Surrey and Seedley, co. Lancaster; Brightfieldstown, co. Cork, bart; Kilmoney Abbey, co. Cork; Ulster King of Arms, William Roberts, Esq.; Gen. Sir Abraham Roberts; Dormstown Castle, co. Meath.

Atkin-Roberts of Glassenbury Park

A101 Rookhurst or Roberts: left native shire of Annandale, in Scotland, 3 Henry I (1103); settled in parish of Goudhurst, co. Kent, having purchased lands at Winchett Hall where the family continued to reside for 274 years. From him was descended

A102 Stephen Rookhurst or Roberts: m., temp. Richard II (about 1377), Joan (dau. and heiress of Wm. Tilley, of Glassenbury). This mansion inherited by his lineal descendant,

A103 Walter Roberts: temp. Edward IV (about 1461); pulled down ancient seat and built another lower down the valley, being the present seat of Glassenbury. From him was descended

A104 Sir Thomas Roberts: knt., of Glassenbury; created bart., 1620.

A105 Sir Walter Roberts: 6th bart. of Glassenbury; had a dau. and co-heir

A106 Jane: m., 1732, George, 3rd Duke of St. Albans, who d. s. p. 1786; de-

vised property of Glassenbury to 2d son of Thomas Robert (A107 below), of Britfieldstown, if he should have one, or in default, to his eldest dau.; d. 1778.

A107 Sir Thomas Roberts (See B115): bart., of Britfieldstown (3d in descent from Randal Roberts, son Rev. Thos. Roberts, Chancellor of Cork, who have the Glassenbury Arms, as is proved by the seal attached to his will); created a bart., 1809; m (1), 1765, Amy Johnson; m. (2), 1806, Ann Walton; d. 1817; had with other issue,

(1) Walter (Sir): 2nd Bart., ancestor of Sir Howland Roberts, Bart.
(2) Thomas Walton: of whom presently—A108.
(3) Martha: s. in 1778 to Glassenbury under Duchess of St. Albans' will, until estate was vested in Thomas Walton Roberts, her half brother; m. John Cramer, who assumed additional name of Roberts by Royal License.
(4) Georgiana: m., 1826, John Drew Atkin, of Ballymore, co. Cork, and Castle Park, co. Dublin; d. 1873.
  (A) Walter Roberts: Barrister-at-Law; b. 1824.
  (B) John Roberts: late of Glassenbury—A109.
  (C) Walton Thomas Roberts: Maj. Royal Antrim Art.; 1845-1897; m. 1875, Margaret Cornwall; issue.

A108 Thomas Walton Roberts [A107—(2)]: s. to Glassenbury under will of Duchess of St. Albans; d. s. p., 1882; devised estates to nephew.

A109 Major John Roberts Atkin-Roberts [A107-(4)-(B)]: of Glassenbury Park, Kent; Reserve of Officers; Commissioner for Income and Land Tax; Judicial Authority under Lunacy Act, 1890, and Visiting Justice thereunder for co. Kent; assumed additional name and arms of Roberts, by Royal License, 1882, on s. to property, in accordance with uncle's will; 1843-1913; m. 1875, Marianne Gertrude Fox.

(1) Malcolm Roberts: now of Glassenbury Park—A110.
(2) Jane Walton: m. 1911, Baron Francis Nicholas Rudolph Herman Frederick Theodor Christian von Nettelbladt, of Chauteu de Zel, Flanders.

A110 Malcolm Roberts Atkin-Roberts: of Glassenbury Park, Kent; b. 1876.

Roberts of Glassenbury

B111 Rev. Thomas Roberts: D.D., of Brightfieldstown and Ballyfoyle, co. Cork; J. P. 1663; went to Ireland temp. Charles I; name appears in the Particular Book of Trinity Coll., Dublin, from Dec., 1637, to Feb., 1638; rector of St. John of Jerusalem and of St. Nicholas, 1639; Chancellor of the Diocese of Cork, 1661; b. 1590; d. 1664; m. (1), Eliz. Neville; m. (2), 1654, Dorothy Boyle (Turner); purchased lands in co. Waterford, 1662.

(1) Francis: J. P.; lieut.-col. of horse; 1644-1696; m. 1668, Anne Bustead; fled to Bristol 1689; was attained, but returned to Cork.
  (2) Thomas.
  (3) Randal—B112.

B112 Randal: of Brightfieldstown; m., 1671, Hannah Bustead; d. 1719; will sealed with arms of Sir Thomas Roberts, Knt., Bart. of Glassenbury.

(1) Thomas—B113.
(2) Francis: of Castlepart, co. Cork; d. s. p.; will dated 1707.

(3) John: B. A., Trin. Coll., Dublin, 1710; b. 1688; m. 1714, Catherine Chudleigh.
(A) Michael: d. s. p., 1731.
(4) Michael: of Glanworth, co. Cork; d. s. p., 1742.
(5) Hodder: ancestor of Roberts of Kilmoney Abbey.
(6) Randal (Rev.): B. A., Trin. Coll., Dublin, 1715; M. A., 1718; b. 1694; d. s. p.; will dated 1753.

B113 Thomas: of Brightfieldstown; b. 1674; m., 1698, Jane Hodder.

B114—Randal: of Brightfieldstown; to whom Wm. Hawkins, Ulster King of Arms, 1775, allowed the arms above mentioned appearing on the seal of his grandfather, as lawfully descended in a direct line from Sir Thos. Roberts, of Glassenbury, Kent, Knt. and Bart.; b. 1704; m. 1734, Martha Westropp.

B115 Sir Thomas: (See A107); 1st Bart.; of Brightfieldstown; created bart., 1809; 1738-1817; m. (1), 1765, Amy Johnson; m. (2), 1806, Ann Walton.
(1) Thomas: b. 1771; d. y.
(2) William: b. 1773; d. s. p.
(3) Walter (Sir): 2nd Bart.—B116.
(4) Randal Howland: d. s. p., 1801.
(5) Thomas Walton—[See A108].
(6) Martha—[See A107—(3)].
(7) Georgiana—[See A107—(4)].

B116 Sir Walter: 2nd Bart.; High Sheriff, co. Devon, 1817; 1776-1828; m. 1800, Catherine Hodgson Gilbert (descended from Adm. Sir Humphrey Gilbert, temp. Elizabeth, half brother of Sir Walter Raleigh).
(1) Thomas Howland (Sir): 3rd Bart.—B117.
(2) Edmund Gilbert (Rev.): B. D.; rector of Paul's Cray, Kent, and Glanville Wootton, Dorset; 1810-1856; m. 1836, Eliz. Anna Joyce.
(A) Thomas Langdon: capt. London Irish Rifles; 1840-1904; m. 1862, Emily Moor; d. s. p.
(B) Herbert: b. 1847.

B117 Sir Thomas Howland: 3rd Bart.; 1804-1864; High Sheriff, co. Cork, 1837; m. (1), 1834, Eliza Caroline Maitland; m. (2), 1842, Anne Elliott Langdon.
(1) Randal Howland (Sir): 4th Bart.—B118.
(2) Howland (Sir): 5th Bart.—B119.
(3) Walworth Howland (Sir): Knt. Bach. (1921); C. B. E. (1920); late judge of the Marylebone County Court; member of the Standing County Courts Rules Committee; J. P. Staffordshire; sometime an examiner of the Court; revising barrister for Middlesex; one of chairmen on Committee of Production, 1918-19; set from Bench, 1921; 1922, appointed standing arbitrator under Ministry of Transport Act; formerly lieut. London Irish Rifles; b. 1855; m., 1890, Katherine Thomson.
(A) Walter St. Clair Howland: M. C.; B. A.; educated at Winchester and B. N. C., Oxford; lieut. R. F. A.; Foreign Office; H. M. Diplomatic Service; b. 1893.

B118 Sir Randal Howland: 4th Bart., late maj. London Irish Vol. Corps.; 1837-1899; m., 1858, Eliza Mary Turnbull; s. by half-brother.
(1) Warton Howland: 1859-1888.

B119 Sir Howland: 5th Bart., J. P. and D. L., co. London; Hon. Col. 3rd (London Irish) Vol. Batt. Rifle Brigade, V. D.; 1845-1917; m., 1895,

Elizabeth Marie La Roche, of New Jersey.
(1) Thomas Langdon Howland (Sir): 6th and present Bart.—B120.
(2) Gilbert Howland: lieut. R. N., b. 1900; heir presumptive.

B120 Sir Thomas Langdon Howland: 6th Bart.; of Glassenbury; lieut. R. F. A.; b. 1898.

Roberts of Ecclesall

C121 Samuel Roberts: of Stubbin House, Ecclesfield, co. York; 1649-1715; left, with other issue

C122 Jacob: of Bridge House, Sheffield; bapt. 1697; m. 1723, Mary Hogland; had, with other issue,

C123 Samuel: of Sheffield; 1732-1799; m. Mary Sykes; the eldest surviving son,

C124 Samuel: of Park Grange, Sheffield; 1763-1848; m. 1794, Eliz. Wright; a son and three daus. who d. unm.

C125 Samuel: of Queens Tower, Sheffield; M. A. Camb.; J. P. Sheffield and W. Riding, York; 1800-1887; m. (1), 1837, Eliz. Creswick; m. (2), 1841, Sarah Anne Sooley; left with other issue,

C126 The Rt. Hon. Sir Samuel: 1st Bart., P. C. of Ecclesall, and of Queen's Tower, City of Sheffield, and W. Riding, co. York; Knt.; D. L. and J. P., W. Riding of York; M. P. for Ecclesall Div. of Sheffield since 1902; M. A., Camb.; barrister-at-law Inner Temple; Deputy Chairman W. Riding Quarter Sessions; educated at Repton and Trinity Coll., Camb.; called to the Bar 1877; Lord Mayor of Sheffield, 1900; member of the Royal Commission on the King's Bench Div., 1913; knighted 1917; created a bart., 1919; sworn of the Privy Council of Great Britain, 1922; b. 1852; m., 1880, Martha Susan Blakerey.
(1) Samuel: M. A., LL.B., Camb.; J. P., W. Riding Yorks, and city of Sheffield; Lord Mayor of Sheffield, 1919; M. P. for Hereford since 1921; b. 1882; m. 1906, Gladys Mary Dring.
(A) Samuel: b. 1910.
(B) Peter Geoffrey: b. 1912.
(2) Albert Samuel: lieut. R. G. A.; b. 1885.
(3) Norman Samuel: 1888-1914; m. 1912, Dorothy Sorley; issue.
(4) Alfred Cecil Samuel (Rev.): M. A., Camb.; b. 1890.
(5) Eric Samuel: b. 1893; late lieut. York and Lancs. Regt.

Roberts (Formerly of City of Waterford)

D127 Thomas Roberts: of City of Waterford; m. Sarah Bowles; d. before 1775; s. by only son.

D128 John: of Waterford; an eminent architect; 1712-1796; m. Mary Susannah Santelle, of a French refugee family settled there.
(1) John (Rev.)—D129.
(2) Thomas: 1748-1788.
(3) Samuel: of Waterford; 1758-1834; m. Eliza Bull; issue.
(4) Thomas Santelle: R. I. A.; b. 1760; d. s. p.
(5) George: of Waterford; m. Anne Gooch; d. 1849; issue.

D129 Rev. John [D128—(1)]: rector of Kill St. Nicholas, co. Waterford, and Ballymacward, co. Galway; J. P., co. Waterford; provost of the diocese of Kilmacduagh; B. A. Trin. Coll., Dublin; 1745-1815; m. 1771, Anne Sandys.

(1) John: of Waterford; 1773-1837; m. 1796, Grace Dobbyn; issue.
(2) Abraham: b. 1774; d. y.
(3) Thomas: Capt. R. N.; 1778-1855; m. 1804, Kath. Hackett; issue.
(4) Abraham (Sir):—D130.
(5) Samuel (Sir): Knt.; of Belmont, co. Waterford; C. B.; Capt. R. N.; 1785-1848; m., 1818, Rosamund Roberts; d. s. p. s.

D130 Gen. Sir Abraham: G. C. B.; col. 101st regt.; distinguished Indian commander; served throut first Afghan War; present at Ghuznee; 1784-1873; m. (1), 1820, Frances Isabella Ricketts; m. (2), 1830, Isabella Bunbury (Maxwell).
(1) George Ricketts: maj.-gen., Bengal, S. C.; 1827-1915; m., 1857, Harriet Roberts; issue.
(2) Frederick Sleigh: created Earl Roberts—D131.

D131 Sir Frederick Sleigh, Earl Roberts: 1832-1914; Field Marshal; Comn.-in-Chief in India (1885-93), in Ireland (1895-99), in S. Africa (1899-1900), of the army (1900-1904), Col.-in-Chief of Forces in United Kingdom from oversea dominions and India, 1914; Hon. D. C. L. Oxon, 1881; received many distinguished honors and degrees; special ambassador to courts of Prussia, Saxony, Russia, Turkey, Bulgaria, Roumanian and Servia to announce accession of George V, 1910; Queen's medal with six clasps; C. B. 1872; K. C. B. 1879; G. C. B. 1880; G. C. I. E. 1887; G. C. S. I. 1893; P. C. 1895; K. P. 1897; K. G. 1901; O. M. 1902; created bart. for distinguished services in India, 1881; elevated to peerage as Baron Roberts of Kandahar in Afghanistan, and of the city of Waterford, 1892; in recognition of victories in S. Africa, was created, 1901, Viscount St. Pierre and Earl Roberts of Kandahar, in Afghanistan, Pretoria of Transvaal Colony, and of the City of Waterford; received grant of £100,000 for distinguished services; d. at headquarters of British Army in France; m. 1859, Nora Henrietta Berns, C. I., R. R. C.; baronetcy and barony extinct at his death without male issue; earldom and viscounty devolved upon elder daughter.
(1) Frederick Henry: b. 1869; d. y.
(2) Frederick Hugh Sherston: V. C.; lieut. King's Royal Rifles; served in Waziristan Exped., 1894-95; with Chitral Relief Force, 1895; Nile Exped., 1898 (present at battle of Khartum); S. Africa, 1899; 1872-1899; awarded V. C. after death, for conspicuous bravery at battle of Colenso; d. of wounds received at that battle.
(3) Aileen Mary: now Countess Roberts—D132.
(4) Ada Edwina Stewart: O. B. E. (1918); (heir presumptive); b. 1875; m., 1913, Brig.-Gen. Henry Fredk. Elliot Lewin.
(A) Frederick Roberts Alexander: b. 1915.

D132 Countess Roberts (Aileen Mary Roberts): D. B. E., of Kandahar, in Afghanistan, and Pretoria in the Transvaal Colony, and of the City of Waterford, and Viscountess St. Pierre, in the peerage of the United Kingdom; b. 1870; s. father, 1914.

Roberts of Milner Field

E133 Joseph Roberts: of the Marsh, Oxenhope, near Keighley, Yorks; father of
E134 James: of Haworth, Yorks; 1808-1888; m. 1829, Jane Hartley; s. by son,
E135 Sir James: 1st Bart., of Milnor Field, Bingley, Yorks; J. P.; Chairman

of Sir Titus Salt, Bart., Sons and Co.; b. 1848; created bart., 1909; m. 1873, Elizabeth Foster.

(1) Bertram Foster: 1876-1912; m. 1903, Eliza Gertrude Denby.
  (A) James Denby: b. 1904.
  (B) William Denby: b. 1909.

(2) Joseph Henry Nicholson: J. P.; b. 1887; m., 1920, Frances Eleanor Partington.

(D) PROMINENT BRITISH ROBERTS, PAST GENERATIONS

Barre Charles Roberts: (1789-1810); antiquary; was well versed in antiquaries; began his collection of coins at an early age. His collection was confined to coins of his own country, and it was bought by the British Museum at the cost of £4000. In 1805-06 he learned Spanish and in 1807 printed at Oxford 50 copies of a compendium of Spanish verbs. Not quite twenty, he contributed several articles to periodicals.

David: (1757-1819); lieutenant colonel; served his country admirably; was author of "The Military Adventures of Johnny Newcome," a poem of nearly 3000 lines.

David: (1796-1864); painter; b. near Edinburgh; apprenticed to Beugo, a house painter and decorator, with whom Roberts remained for seven years. In 1822 he was on the permanent staff at the Theater Royal, Edinburgh; also worked in the scene rooms of the Drury Lane and Covent Garden theaters; later visited the Continent and collected sketches, etc.; was A.R.A. in 1839 and R.A. in 1841. Roberts' most pleasing work was that done of western Europe.

Emma: (1794-1840); author; girlhood was spent with her mother—a woman of some literary pretensions—at Bath; studied at the British Museum; went to India, and her first book was published in 1827; later went to Calcutta, where she devoted herself more closely to literature and journalism, editing and writing for The Oriental Observer. She published books, edited a weekly paper and interested herself in a scheme to provide the women of India with suitable employment; had all but completed her investigations, when death ended her work.

Francis: D.D. (1609-1675); Puritan; matriculated at Oxford; took orders, joined the Presbyterian party at the outbreak of the civil war; was presented to the rectory of Wrington, Somerset; became a zealous partisan of the Somerset Puritans. On the appointment of Lord Essex as lord lieutenant of Ireland, Roberts was made his chaplain and created D.D. of Dublin while in that office; was a scholarly writer as well as a preacher.

Griffith: (known about 1570); Welsh grammarian; in 1567 he published at Milan a Welsh treatise of grammar (in three parts) of about 300 pages; only two copies are now extant—one of which is in the British Museum.

Sir Henry Gee: (1800-1860); major general; obtained a cadetship in the East India Company's services in 1818. He is described as an energetic soldier, good in every situation, and because of his valor was recommended to the post and became colonel in 1852, major general two years later. He commanded the northern division of the Bombay army, and the Government, during the mutiny, expressed its sense of the judgment, resolution and self-reliance

with which he acquitted himself of his most arduous duties at that time; received the thanks of Parliament for his services with the medal and clasps for Central India.

JOHN: (1576-1610); Benedictine monk; son of a merchant of ancient descent; educated as a Protestant at Oxford; visited Paris and was there converted to Roman Catholicism; entered the Jesuit College of St. Alban; was sent to England as a missionary; helped to found the house of St. Gregory's, Douay, and became its first prior.

JOHN: (1623 ?-1684); Quaker humorist. Though of humorous disposition, Roberts was always devoutly inclined, and his sympathies were with the Puritans. When George Fox established the Society of Friends, Roberts quickly embraced the Quaker doctrines; as a result, suffered much persecution. He delighted—as shown by his son Daniel's memoirs of him—in smart repartee and in pointed illustration.

JOHN: (1767-1834); Welsh divine; commenced to preach in 1790; later entered the Oswestry Academy and was ordained, 1796, pastor of Llanbrynmoir Church; was noted for his suavity of temper and eminent piety.

JOHN: (1822-1877); Welsh musician, better known as Ienan Grvyllt; was only fourteen when chosen leader of his choir; at sixteen became schoolmaster; adopted the name given above when he contributed a musical composition to a Welsh magazine; became, in 1852, assistant editor of the most important Welsh paper of the day, devoted himself to the work with enthusiasm, and by the end of the year the circulation of the paper had nearly doubled; in 1859, under his leadership, was held the first of those musical festivals which became established institutions all over the country. The same year his "tune book" was published he gained immediate popularity. Probably no other musician has left such a deep impression on musical Wales. His chief aim was educational, and of the twenty or so tunes he composed, some half a dozen are still in popular use.

JOSEPH: (1795-1849); missionary; ordained, 1818, as Wesleyan minister; sent by the Wesleyan Missionary Society to Ceylon; corresponding member of the Asiatic Society; applied himself to the study of the Tamil language; made translations, afterwards publishing them; in 1843 was appointed general superintendent of the society's mission in the Madras Presidency and while there edited a work on "Caste—Its Religious and Civil Character."

MARY: (1788-1864); author; daughter of a London merchant; granddaughter of the Quaker botanist Thomas Lawson. In 1790 her parents moved to Painswick, in Gloucestershire, where Mary developed an intense love of nature, to which she soon gave literary expression. Some of her passages in "Annals of My Village" fall little short of the descriptive power of Richard Jeffries, and she was author of many fine books.

PETER: (1760 ?-1819); divine and antiquary. Through the Irish pupils at the grammar school Roberts attended he became acquainted with Dr. Henry Ussher, afterwards professor of astronomy in the University of Dublin, who procured for him admission as a Sizar to that university; after graduation, M.A., remained in Dublin as a private tutor, studying especially Oriental languages and astronomy; devoted most of his life to tutoring, and several of his titled pupils gave him a pension enabling him to devote all of his time to study. The "Cambrian Popular Antiquitus," dealing with Welsh rustic customs and superstitions, is his most valuable contribution to letters.

Richard: (1789-1864); inventor; as a young man, devoted his leisure time to practical mechanics; in 1816 settled in Manchester and became known as an inventor of great ability; among his early inventions were the screw-cutting lathe and an oscillating and rotating wet gas meter. On the strike of cotton spinners, 1824, the manufacturers induced him to attempt the construction of a self-acting mule, which was perfected the following year. The opening of the Liverpool & Manchester Railroad attracted him to a new field of mechanical invention; devised a steam brake and a system of standard gauges to which all his work was constructed, besides many other inventions; was one of the greatest mechanical inventors of the century.

Samuel: (1763-1848); author and pamphleter, known as the "Paupers' Advocate;" at the age of twenty-seven, published his first essay in the local press, being a satire of the then new fashion of hiding the chin in voluminous neck bandages. This was well received, and he was encouraged to follow a literary career, which extended over the remainder of his life. Roberts' leading motive was benevolence, and he never published anything that he was not convinced was favorable to morality and religion, and never published for profit. Author of an immense number of books, pamphlets, broadsheets and contributions to the press.

Samuel: (1800-1885); social and political reformer, better known by his initials "S. R." In 1826 became assistant pastor to his father; during this period he gained wide popularity as a writer and a leader of public opinion among the nonconformists of Wales; was a pioneer in Wales of disestablishment; organized a great effort made by Welsh independent churches to pay their chapel debts. His persistent efforts towards reform of the postal system were finally successful; he forwarded Catholic emancipation, abolition of religious tests and church rates, temperance movement, sanitary improvements, etc. Several songs written by Roberts rank among the best Welsh lyrics of the century.

Thomas: (1749 ?-1794 ?); artist; son of John, architect of town hall and other public buildings in Waterford; exhibited from 1723 with the Society of Artists in the Strand; devoted himself chiefly to parkside landscape, imitating the Dutch foliage penciling with great skill; employed by many of the Irish nobility to depict their country seats; his younger brother Samuel, a landscape painter, followed him to London, where he exhibited at the Royal Academy regularly from 1789 to 1811.

William: (1585-1665); bishop of Bangor, whose descent was traced from Edwin, King of Tegeingl; educated at Cambridge; in 1637 became bishop of Bangor; suffered much for his adherence to the King during the civil war.

William: (1767-1849); barrister and author; born at Surrey; educated at Oxford. Dr. Cooke, of Corpus Christi College, described him as "the splendid ornament of his college." In 1791 he traveled abroad as a tutor and on his return studied law; turned his attention to literature as a source of income and published many works; was editor of several periodicals. Meanwhile he published some writings on his profession; held several public offices; his "Portraiture of a Christian Gentleman" was exceedingly popular in America as well as in England; very active in charitable and religious work.

William Hayward: D.D. (d. 1791); poet and Biblical critic; graduated from Cambridge, 1757; an assistant master at Eton; gained his degree of D.D. in 1773; rector of Everdon; provost of Eton College; was one of the King's chaplains for many years. His prose and poems are excellent.

William Prowting: (1800-1871); solicitor and trades union advocate; admitted a solicitor in 1828 and practiced at Bath, Manchester and London; was concerned in nearly all the law offices of the trade union; in 1844 was chosen by the Miners' Association of Great Britain and Ireland as their standing legal adviser; was a most able, indefatigable and pertinacious advocate.

(E) PROMINENT BRITISH ROBERTS OF TODAY

Roberts: Family name of Baron Clwyd and Countess Roberts.

Countess Roberts: cr. 1901; of Kandahar, Pretoria and Waterford; Ailenn Mary Roberts: D.B.E., 1918; b. 1870; d. of 1st Earl Roberts. Add.: London.

Sir Alexander Fowler: K.B.E., cr. 1926; Director, Murray, Roberts & Co., Ltd., Wellington, N. Z.; b. 1882; s. of Sir John; educ., Clare Coll., Cambridge; Commissioner to British Empire Exhibition. Add.: New Zealand.

Hon. Alexander William: D.Scs., F.R.A.S., F.R.S.E.; Senator in the Union Parliament of South Africa since 1920; b. 1857; appointed to the Staff at Lovedale, S. Africa, 1883; erected a private observatory for the photometric observation of stars. Publications: articles on stellar physics. Add.: Lovedale, South Africa.

Ven. Alfred: Archdeacon of Potchefstroom, 1891-1914; b. 1853; educ., St. Augustine's Coll., Canterbury. Add.: Pretoria.

Alfred Jabez: O.B.E.; b., Norwood, S. A., 1863; educ., Wesley Coll., Victoria; mem. of Stock Exchange. Add.: S. Australia.

Arthur: Comedian; b. 1852; clerk; appeared first at Oxford Music Hall (old), 1878. Publications: Adventures of Arthur Roberts, told by Himself; Fifty Years of Spoof.

Sir Arthur Cornelius: K.B.E., cr. 1917; F.C.A.; practicing as A. C. Roberts, Wright & Co.; Chairman, Financial Board of Control, Air Ministry; b. 1869. Add.: Wimbeldon.

Com. Arthur Millington: D.S.O., 1918; R.N., retired; b. 1886; Naval General Service Medal, Persian Gulf Clasp. Add.: Hambrook.

Carl Eric Bechhofer: b., London, 1894; represented The Times and The Morning Post in Russia and the Middle East. Publications: several books on Russia. Add.: London.

Cecil Edric Mornington: Hon. LL.D., F.R.G.S., b. 1892; Literary Editor, Liverpool Post; Parliamentary candidate (l.) Nottingham, East Division, 1922. Publication: Through Eyes of Youth. Add.: London.

Charles George Douglas: M.A., LL.D.; author; b., Douglas, New Brunswick, 1860; educ., Fredercton Collegiate School; graduating with honors in metaphysics, ethics and political economy; editor of The Week. Publication: Around the Camp Fire, 1896.

Charles Henry: b. 1865; educ., Marlborough Coll.; Chairman, National Health Insurance Joint Committee. Add.: London.

Charles Hubert: M.D., Lond.; F.R.C.S., Eng.; F.R.C.P., Lond; Asst. Demonstrator of Anatomy and Demonstrator of Practical Midwifery and Dis-

eases of Women. Publications: various papers read before the Obstetrical Society of London and the Royal Society of Medicine. Add.: London.

Cyril: R.B.A., 1904; Auditor, 1914-15; mem. of Council, 1915-18; Secretary, 1918; portrait painter; b. 1871; studied art at S. Kensington, Slade and Paris; exhibitor at The Royal Academy. Add.: London.

Ven. David Egryn: M.A., Oxon; Archdeacon of Monmouth; Vicar of S. Woolos Pro-Cathedral Church, Monmouth; s. of Very Rev. Griffith; educ., Jesus Coll., Oxford; Curate of Mountain Ash. Add.: London.

Edward: I.S.O., 1907; J.P., F.R.A.S., F.R.H.S.; late Chief Asst. to Supt. Nautical Almanac; b. 1845; acted as Secretary to Tide Committee of British Association, 1868-75; editor of East India and other Tide Tables. Add.: Broadstairs.

Ellis: A.R.C.A.; mem. of Society of Portrait Painters; b., Staffordshire, 1860; National Scholarship, S. Kensington, 1884; studied art at Minton Memorial, Stoke-upon-Trent, in Italy and in Paris. Add.: Surrey.

Ernest Handforth Goodman: M.P. (C.), Flintshire, since 1924; Secretary of the Welsh Conservative Party in the House of Commons; b., Flintshire, 1890; educ., Malvern Coll. Publication: Principles of the Law of Contract. Add.: N. Wales.

Rev. Ernest Marling: Vicar of Kensington since 1917; C.F., 1917-21; Hon. C.F., 1921; b. 1873; ordained 1898; Curate, Kenwyn, Truto, 1898-99. Add.: London.

Major Frank Crowther: V.C., 1918; D.S.O., 1915; O.B.E., M.C.; Worcestershire Regiment; b. 1891; s. of Rev. Frank; entered army, 1911; served European War, 1914-18 (wounded, dispatches, D.S.O., V.C., M.C., 1917). Add.: Southall.

Lt.-Col. Frederick Emilius: D.S.O., 1916; O.B.E., 1924; R.A.M.C., Medical Officer, Duke of York's R.M. School, Guston; educ., Malver, St. George's Hospital (M.R.C.S., Eng.; L.R.C.P., Lond., 1904). Add.: London.

Rt. Hon. Frederick Owen: P.C., 1924; J.P.; Trade Union Representative; M.P. (Lab.), West Bromwich, since 1918; mem. of Committee of Management, Royal National Lifeboat Institution. Add.: West Bromwich.

George Quinlan: C.B.E., M.A., Oxon; Secretary and Receiver, St. Thomas' Hospital, since 1903; b., 1860; educ., Oxford; rowed in the Oxford Eight, 1883; won many rowing races, including the "Varsity Sculls and the Goblets" at Henley. Publication: Short History of St. Thomas' Hospital. Add.: London.

Gervase Henry: C.B.E., 1918; M. Inst. C.E.; M. Inst. Mech. E.; Supt., Royal Small Arms Factory, Enfield Lock, Middlesex, since 1922; Supt. of the Mechanical Engineering Dept. of the Royal Arsenal four years, and Chief Mechanical Engineer, 1918-22. Add.: London.

Very Rev. Griffith: Dean of Bangor since 1903; Welsh Examining Chaplain to Bishop of Llandaff, 1897; b., Carnarvonshire, 1845; educ., Trinity; Canon Residentiary of Llandaff and Diocesan Missioner for Diocese of Llandaff. Publication: The Marks of Christ's Body. Add.: Bangor.

Harry: b. 1871; practiced medicine in Cornwall and Stepney. Publication: Public Control of Hospitals. Add.: London.

Henry David: M.B.E., 1918; Director, Public Library, Museums and Fine Art Galleries, Brighton, since 1906; b. 1870; Hon. Sec. Inter-Allied Exhibition on the Treatment and Training of Disabled Men (Ministry of Pensions),

1918. Publication: The Book of Brighton. Add.: London.

H. Leslie: M.D. (Edinburgh); Consulting Physician to the Skin Dept. of Liverpool Royal Infirmary; b., Manchester, 1860; s. of Alderman J. F.; appointed to the Royal Infirmary, 1893. Publication: Mould Fungi Parasitic on Man. Add.: London.

Herbert Ainslie: M.A.; Fellow of Gonville Caius Coll., Cambridge; Secretary of Cambridge Univ. Assn.; b., 1864. Add.: London.

Brig-Gen. Hereward Llewelyn: C.B., 1917; M.V.O., 1906; b. 1864; entered army, 1883; served battle of Ctesiphon and subsequent retreat, battles of Shaikh Saad and Wadi River. Add.: Windsor.

Sir James: 1st Bart., cr. 1909; LL.D., Leeds; J.P., West Riding, Yorkshire; b. 1848; lately actively engaged in the worsted textile trades, and was owner of the Alpaca manufacturing works and model town of Saltaire. Publications: pamphlets and articles on Free Trade. Add.: London.

James Alexander: C.B., 1917; M.B., F.A.C.S., F.R.C.S. (Eng.); Colonel A.M.S.; b., Indianapolis, 1876; s. of Peter; educ., Univ. of Toronto; taken active part in Canadian Militia continuously since 1894. Publications: Professional articles, etc. Add. Toronto, Canada.

Lt.-Col. Sir James Reid: Kt., cr. 1913; C.I.E., 1911; M.B., M.S., F.R.C.S., Eng.; late Indian Medical Service; b. 1861; Administrative Medical Officer for Central India, 1906-12. Add.: Perthshire.

Sir John: Kt., cr. 1920; C.M.G., 1891; J.P.; runholder and managing partner of Murray, Roberts & Co.; b., Scotland, 1845; President of the New Zealand South Seas Exhibition held in Dunedin. Add.: New Zealand.

Capt. John: R.N.R., C.B.E., 1919; D.S.O., 1917; R.D.; b., Denbighshire; educ., Llangollen Schools; apprenticed to the sea (Merchant Service) at 17, 1885. Add.: Keston, Kent.

His Honour John Bryn: J.P., D.L.; C. C. Judge Glamorgans, 1906; b. 1843; Solicitor, 1868 (Clifford's Inn prize). Add.: Bangor.

Lt.-Col. and Hon. Col. John Dobree Anderson: J.P.; b. 1860; educ., Cheltenham Coll.; served in the Royal Artillery, 1879-91; on retirement joined the Duke of Connaughts Own Sligo Artillery Militia, which he commanded 1902-09. Add.: Cornwall.

Rev. John Edward: M.A., D.D.; Past President of the Baptist Union of Great Britain and Ireland; b. 1866; Minister of Union Chapel, Manchester, 1890-1925. Publication: The Lord's Prayer. Add.: Glasgow.

Lancelot: R.C.A. Add.: Manchester.

Major Marmaduke Torin Cramer: D.S.O., 1915; late 4th Gurkha Rifles; b. 1880; entered army, 1901; European War, 1914-16; retired, 1923. Add.: London.

Capt. Marshall Owen: late Welsh Guards; b. 1878; 2nd Lieut. Scots Guards; served S. African War. Add.: London.

Martin: M. Inst. C.E., M.I.E.E., F.C.S.; consulting engineer; b., Lichfield, 1853; educ., King's Coll., London; mem. of Engineering Standards Committee and of Physical Standards Committee. Contributes to journals of Institution Civil Engineers. Add.: London.

Morley: Novelist and journalist; b., London, 1857; e. s. of W. H.; late Superintending Inspector of Income Tax; educ., Owens Coll., Manchester; went to Australia, 1876, and worked in the Bush of New South Wales. Publication: Land Travel and Sea-Faring. Add.: London.

Paul Ernest: M.A.; Fellow, Vice-Provost, Senior Tutor, History Lecturer and Junior Bursar of Worcester Coll.; b. 1873; educ., Worcester Coll. Publication: Historical Geography of India. Add.: Devon.

Reginald Arthur: C.B.E., F.R.G.S., F.Z.S., F.R.C.I.; mem. of Lincoln's Inn; b. 1874; Acting Provincial Commissioner and mem. of the Executive and Legislative Councils of Southern Nigeria on several occasions. Add.: Nigeria.

Richard Arthur: F.R. Hist. S.; a Royal Commissioner for Historical MSS. since 1912; b., S. Wales, 1851. Publications: Calendar of Home Office Papers of the Reign of George III. Add.: Oxford.

Rev. Richard Gwylfa: Litt.D.; Pastor of Tabernacle Church; b., N. Wales, 1871; educ., North Wales Univ. Publication: Book of Poems. Add.: Llanelly.

His Hon. Richard Owen: County Court Judge for Chester and North Wales Circuit since 1924; b. 1876; educ., King's Coll., London. Publication: The Law of Collisions on Land. Add.: N. Wales.

Rev. Canon Robert Edwin: M.A.; Hon. C.F.; Rector of Ashwell, Oakham, since 1923; b. 1878; educ., Ellesmere Coll.; Chaplain to the Forces in France. Publication: Faith and Advance. Add.: Oakham.

Robert Silyn: M.A.; Lecturer at Univ. Coll., Bangor; b., Carnarvonshire; y. s. of R. Jones; educ., Univ. Coll. of N. Wales; lectured on social and literary themes. Publication: Telynegion, a volume of Welsh poems. Add.: Bangor.

Sir Samuel: 2nd Bt., cr. 1919; M.A., LL.B., J.P., M.P. (Con.), Hereford, since 1921; b. 1882; e. s. of Rt. Hon. Sir Samuel; educ., Harrow, Trinity Coll.; Solicitor; retired from practice, 1921. Add.: Norfolk.

Lt.-Col. Stephen Richard Harricks: D.S.O., 1917; V.D., J.P.; Deputy Director of Posts and Telegraphs for Western Australia since 1928; b. 1874; obtained Commission, Gold-Fields Infantry Regiment, 1899; commanded Squadron Australian Light Horse, S. African War. Add.: Western Australia.

Sidney Morton Pearson: M.A., M.B., B.C., Camb.; M.R.C.S., Eng.; J.P., Bucks; Consulting Physician, Sheffield Royal Hospital; educ., St. Bartholomew's Hospital; mem. of Bucks County Council. Add.: Bucks.

Sydney Castle: M.A.; Secretary to the Syndics of the Cambridge Univ. Press since 1922; b. Birkenhead, 1887; educ., Brighton Coll.; Lecturer for English Tripos since 1919; Trustee, Union Society, 1923. Publication: Picture Book of British History. Add.: London.

Sir Thomas Langdon Howland: 13th Bt., cr. 1620; and 6th Bt., cr. 1809; Lt. R. A.; b. 1898; s. of 12th Bt.; educ., Westminster School. Add.: London.

Tom: Painter; Sergeant R.A.M.C. (T.), serving 1915-19; b., Dorchester, 1856; s. of Richard; Educ., Dorchester Grammar School; went to Australia, 1869; Exhibitor at Royal Academy and New Gallery.

Prof. T. Stanley: Prof. of Colonial History, Univ. Coll. of Wales. Add.: S. Wales.

William: b. 1862; Journalist and author since 1882; author of Earlier History of English Bookselling. Add.: London.

Rev. William Corbett: Rector of S. George, Bloomsbury, since 1917; Chairman of Association for Moral and Social Hygiene since 1923; Principal

of Dorchester Missionary Coll. Add.: London.

WILLIAM LEE HENRY: J.P., Kent; b. 1871; educ., Eton Coll.; late Lt. Royal Dragoons. Add.: Kent.

REV. WILLIAM RALPH WESTROPP: D.D.; Vice-Provost, late Senior Fellow of Trinity Coll., Dublin; b., Dublin, 1850; Commissioner of Education in Ireland, 1913. Add.: Dublin.

EMERITUS PROF. WILLIAM RHYS: Litt.D. (Cantab.), Hon. LL.D. (St. Andrew's), Hon. D.Litt. (Wales); b., Wimbledon, 1858; mem. of the Prime Minister's Committee on Classical Education. Publication: British Universities. Add.: Sussex.

WILLIAM STEWART: M.R.C.S., Eng.; Prof. of Pathology, Otago Univ., Dunedin, 1885-1918. Add.: New Zealand.

W. J.: Professor of Political Economy. Add.: Univ. Coll., Cardiff.

(F) AMERICAN ROBERTS OF ROYAL DESCENT

Edmund Roberts Family

HENRY I, KING OF FRANCE, father of

PRINCE HUGH THE GREAT: Count de Vermandois. His dau. was

LADY ISABEL DE VERMANDOIS: d. 1131; m. Robert de Beaumont, Baron de Bellomont, Earl of Leicester and of Mellent.

ROBERT-BOSSU DE BELLOMONT: Earl of Leicester; Lord Justice of England; d. 1168.

GERVASE PAGANEL: Baron of Dudley, Staffordshire. From him was descended (15 generations removed):

THOMAS DUDLEY: b. at Canon's Ashby, about 1576; commanded a company at seige of Amiens; became a Puritan and came to America with Governor Winthrop in 1630 to escape persecution; was four times Governor of the Massachusetts Colony; d. 1653.

REV. SAMUEL DUDLEY: b. about 1606; was Deputy to the General Court at Boston for several years; m., first, 1632, Mary, dau. of Gov. John Winthrop.

ELIZABETH DUDLEY: m., 1674, Judge Kinsley Hall, of Exeter, N. H.

JOSIAH HALL: of Exeter; m., first, Miss Woodbury.

MARY HALL: m. John Langdon, of Portsmouth, N. H.; b. 1707; d. 1780.

JUDGE WOODBURY LANGDON: of Portsmouth, N. H.; Delegate to the Continental Congress, 1779; Councillor, 1781-84; President of N. H. Senate, 1784; Judge of the Superior Court of N. H., 1782-91; m., 1765, Sarah Sherburn.

CATHERINE WHIPPLE LANGDON: m., 1808, EDMUND ROBERTS, of Portsmouth, N. H.

(1) CAROLINE WHIPPLE ROBERTS: m. Rev. Prof. Andrew P. Peabody, of Harvard College.

(2) SARAH ROBERTS: m. Dr. James Boyle, of New York.

(3) HARRIET LANGDON ROBERTS: m. Judge Amasa J. Parker, of Albany, N. Y.

(4) MARIANNA LANGDON ROBERTS: m. Charles Perry, of Delhi, N. Y.

(5) CAROLINE EUSTIS ROBERTS: m. Robert Parker, of Delhi, N. Y.
(6) ANN HENRY LANGDON ROBERTS: m. Truman H. Wheeler, of Delhi, N. Y.
(7) FRANCES LEAR ROBERTS: m. Calvin Howard Bell, of Delhi.

John Roberts Family

EDWARD I, KING OF ENGLAND, father of
PRINCESS JOANE D'ARCE: m. Gilbert de Clare, Earl of Hertford and Gloucester. Their dau. was
LADY ELEANOR DE CLARE: m. Hugh le Despencer, Earl of Winchester; k. 1326.
LADY ISABEL DE DESPENCER: m. Richard Fitz-Alan, 9th Earl of Arundel.
LADY PHILLIPPA FITZ-ALAN: m. Sir Richard Sergeaux, Knt.
LADY PHILLIPPA SERGEAUX: m. Sir Robert Pashley, Knt.
SIR JOHN PASHLEY, Knt.: m. Lowys, dau. of Thomas Gower.
LADY ELIZABETH PASHLEY: m. Reginald de Pympe.
ANNE DE PYMPE: m. Sir John Scott, of Scott's Hall, Sheriff of Kent in 1528.
SIR JOHN SCOTT: of Scott's Hall.
CHARLES SCOTT: of Egerton, Kent; d. 1617; m. Jane, aunt of Gov. Francis Wyatt, of Virginia.
THOMAS SCOTT: d. 1635.
DOROTHEA SCOTT: m., first, about 1636, Major Daniel Gotherson, of Cromwell's Army; embarked in 1680, with her children, for Oyster Bay, L. I.
DOROTHEA GOTHERSON: m., 1680, John Davis, of Pilesgrove Township, Salem Co., N. J.
ABIGAIL ELIZABETH DAVIS: b. 1698, d. 1770; m. Elisha Bassett, Jr., of Salem, N. J.
ELISHA BASSETT: m. Mary, dau. of Joseph Woodnutt, of Mannington, N. J.
HANNAH BASSETT: m. JOHN ROBERTS, of Haddonfield, N. J.
(1) JACOB ROBERTS.
(2) DAVID ROBERTS.

John Roberts Family

ALFRED THE GREAT, KING OF ENGLAND, father of
EDWARD THE ELDER, KING OF ENGLAND. His dau. was
PRINCESS EDGIVA: m. Henry, Count de Vermandois. From them was descended, 10 generations removed,
PATRICK DE CHAWORTH: b. 1253.
LADY MAUD DE CHAWORTH: m. Henry Plantagenet, a des. of HENRY III, KING OF ENGLAND.
LADY ELEANOR PLANTAGENET: m. Sir Richard Fitz-Alan, Earl of Arundel, d. 1375.
SIR RICHARD FITZ-ALAN: m. Lady Elizabeth de Bohun, a des. of EDWARD I, KING OF ENGLAND.
LADY ELIZABETH FITZ-ALAN: m., thirdly, Sir Robert Goushill.
LADY JOAN GOUSHILL: m. Sir Thomas Stanley, d. 1458-59.
LADY MARGARET STANLEY: m. Sir William Troutbeck, Knt., k. at Bloreheath.
LADY JANE TROUTBECK: m. Sir William Griffith, Chamberlain of North Wales.
SIR WILLIAM GRIFFITH: knighted at Touraine, 1513.
LADY SIBILL GRIFFITH: m. Owen ap Hugh, d. 1613.

JANE OWEN: m. Hugh Gwyn, of Penarth, High Sheriff of Carnarvonshire, 1600.
SIBILL GWYN: m. John Powell, of Llanwddwn.
ELIZABETH POWELL: Humphrey ap Hugh ap David ap Howel ap Grono ap Einon.
OWEN HUMPHREY: a Justice under Cromwell, living 1678.
REBECCA HUMPHREY: m., 1678, Robert Owen, of Fron Goch, Wales, who removed to Penna. in 1690, and was a Member of the Provincial Council.
GAINOR OWEN: m., 1706, Jonathan Jones, of Merion, Pa.
REBECCA JONES: m., 1733, JOHN ROBERTS, of Merion, Pa.
(1) JONATHAN ROBERTS.
(2) GAINOR ROBERTS.
(3) ALBAN ROBERTS.
(4) ELIZABETH ROBERTS.
(5) MARY ROBERTS.
(6) TACY ROBERTS.
(7) JOHN ROBERTS.
(8) ROBERT ROBERTS.
(9) ALGERNON ROBERTS.
(10) FRANKLIN ROBERTS.

Cadwalader Roberts Family

EDWARD I, KING OF ENGLAND, father of
PRINCESS ELEANOR PLANTAGENET: m. Henri, Comte de Barr. Their dau. was
LADY ELEANOR DE BARR: m. Llewelyn ap Owen.
THOMAS AP LLEWELYN: m. Eleanor, dau. of Philip ap Ievan.
ELEANOR: m. Griffith Vaughan, Lord of Glendwdwyn.
LOWRY VAUGHN: m. Robert Puleston, of Emral.
JOHN PULESTON: of Emeral; m. Angharad Hanmer.
MARGARET PULESTON: m. David ap Ievan ap Einion, Captain of Harlech Castle, 1468.
EINION AP DAVID: of Cryniarth, in Edermon.
LLEWELYN AP EINION.
GRIFFITH AP LLEWELYN: m. Mary, dau. of Howell ap Harry.
CATHERINE VCH GRIFFITH: m. Edward ap Ievan.
ELLEN VCH EDWARD: m. Lewis ap Griffith, of Yshute.
ROBERT AP LEWIS: m. Gwyrryl ap David, of Llan Rwst.
IEVAN AP ROBERT AP LEWIS: of Rhiwlas and Vron Goch.
EVAN AP EVAN: of Vron Goch.
OWEN AP EVAN: of Gwynedd, Montgomery Co., Pa.; b. 1659; d. 1723.
THOMAS EVANS: of Gwynedd; d. 1760; m., 1720, Elizabeth Griffith.
THOMAS EVANS: of Gwynedd; b. 1733; d. 1818; m., 1765, Elizabeth, dau. of JOHN ROBERTS, of Whitpain.
ELIZABETH EVANS: b. 1781; d. 1842; m., 1802, CADWALADER ROBERTS, of Gwynedd, Pa.; b. 1777; d. 1871.
(1) JOB ROBERTS: of Harford Co., Md.; b. 1814; d. 1858; m. Hannah, dau. of Yeomans Pickering, of Bucks Co., Pa.
(A) WILLIAM P. ROBERTS: m., secondly, 1876, Agnes D., dau. of John Taggart, of St. Clairsville, Ohio.
(a) HORACE W. ROBERTS.
(b) ROY G. ROBERTS.

John B. Roberts Family

EDWARD I, KING OF ENGLAND, father of
THOMAS PLANTAGENET: Earl of Norfolk. His dau. was
MARGARET: d. 1399; m. John, 3rd Lord Segrave.
LADY ELIZABETH SEGRAVE: m. John, 4th Lord Mowbray, descended (through his mother) from LOUIS VIII, KING OF FRANCE, and HENRY III, KING OF ENGLAND.
SIR THOMAS MOWBRAY: K.G.; d. 1413.
LADY MARGARET DE MOWBRAY: m. Sir John Howard.
SIR JOHN HOWARD: K.G.; Captain-General of the King's forces at sea.
SIR THOMAS HOWARD: K.G.; d. 1524.
LADY CATHERINE HOWARD: m. Rice ap Griffith, of Carew, b. 1508; beheaded in public, on Tower Hill, 1531-32, for a political offense.
GRIFFITH AP RICE: m. Lady Eleanor Jones.
THOMAS AP GRIFFITH: of Ebbernant, Carmarthenshire.
JOHN PHILIP AP THOMAS: came into his inheritance, 1585.
EVAN THOMAS: of Swansea; b. 1580; d. 1650.
PHILIP THOMAS: came to America in 1651, and took up much land in the Colony of Maryland.
SAMUEL THOMAS: of Anne Arundle Co., Md.; b. 1655; d. 1743; m. Mary, dau. of Francis Hutchins, of Calvert Co., Md.
SAMUEL THOMAS: of Anne Arundle Co., Md.; b. 1702; d. 1780; m. Mary Snowden.
EVAN THOMAS: of Mt. Radnor, Md.; b. 1738; d. 1826.
ANN THOMAS: m., 1790, Thomas Poultney.
SARAH CRESSON POULTNEY: b. 1806; m., 1830, William Miller Ellicott.
MARY MILLER ELLICOTT: m. JOHN B. ROBERTS. Issue.

Elijah Roberts Family

EDWARD III, KING OF ENGLAND, father of
PRINCE JOHN OF GAUNT: Duke of Lancaster. His dau. was
LADY JOAN BEAUFORT: m. Sir Ralph Nevill, K. G.
LADY ANNE NEVILL: m. Humphrey de Stafford, Duke of Buckingham.
HUMPHREY DE STAFFORD: k. at St. Albans.
LADY ANNE DE STAFFORD: m. Sir William de Berkeley, Knt.
RICHARD DE BERKELEY.
ANNE BERKELEY: m. Sir Thomas Speke, Knt., member of the Privy Council to King Edward VI.
SIR GEORGE SPEKE, Knt.: of Whitelackington; m., first, Lady Elizabeth Luttrell, also of royal descent.
LADY ANNE SPEKE: m. Sir John Horner, Knt., High Sheriff, 1564-73.
LADY JANE HORNER: b. 1561; m., 1593, Rt. Rev. John Still.
ANNE STILL: m. Robert Eyre, of Sarum; b. 1569.
CATHERINE EYRE: b. 1601; d. 1667; m., 1630, Rev. Charles Chauncy, D.D., 2nd President of Harvard Coll., Cambridge, Mass.
REV. NATHANIEL CHAUNCY: of Hatfield; b. 1639; d. 1685; m. Abigail Strong.
REV. NATHANIEL CHAUNCY: of Durham, Conn.; b. 1681; d. 1756; 1st graduate of Yale College.
NATHANIEL CHAUNCY: of Middletown, Conn.; b 1720; d. 1798.
NATHANIEL CHAUNCY: b. 1758; d. 1825; m., 1782, Abigail Olcott.
MARY CHAUNCY: m. Elijah Ackley.
ELIZABETH ACKLEY: m. ELIJAH ROBERTS, of Buffalo, N. Y.

F136 THOMAS ROBERTS: Settled at Dover Neck about 1623. In 1627 m. Rebecca Hilton (?) and had with other issue,
(1) John: b. 1629; d. 1695; m. Abigail Nutter and had with other issue,
(A) Thomas: m. (?) and had with other issue,
(a) Love: m. Elizabeth Drew. Had with other issue,
1. Love: b. April 21, 1721; m. (1) Mary Roberts, 1741; m. (2) Ann Pray. Had with other issue by first wife,
A Love: m. and had 10 ch.
a Love, Jr.: b. 1785; m. Sarah West True; d. 1827; had 5 ch.
(I) William Harrison: m. Mary B. Lowd, 1844; had 7 ch.
(i) William Love: m. Cora J. Hewett, of Livermore, Me., Dec. 26, 1880; had 2 ch.; m. (2) Edith May Parsons; 1 ch.
(ii) Frank Herbert: m. (1) Eva May Ladd, 1881; m. (2) (Mrs.) Eunice Ellen Carver Foster, Sept. 15, 1894; had 2 ch.
I Leslie Freeman: b. Dec. 9, 1882; m. Winnefred Foster, May 2, 1906. Add.: Richmond, Me.
i Carl Freeman.
ii Sherman Foster.

G137 CADWALADER ROBERTS: b. 1673; d. 1731; m. 1714, Eleanor Ellis, 2 ch.
G138 ROBERT ROBERTS: b. Oct. 18, 1719; d. 1750; m. 1742, Sarah Amber, 7 ch.
G139 CADWALADER ROBERTS: b. 1743; d. 1816; m. 1768, Mary Shoemaker. Issue incl.,
G140 JOSEPH ROBERTS: b. Nov. 2, 1779; d. 1859; m. 1801, Elizabeth Rubencamp. Issue incl.,
G141 CHARLES ROBERTS: b. 1807; d. Aug., 1867; m. 1832, Sarah Ann Kenderdine. Issue incl.,
(1) Jesse: b. 1837; d. Jan. 24, 1892; m. March 6, 1864, Sarah Kirving, 5 ch.
(2) George: b. 1840; d. 1916; m. March 24, 1868, Elizabeth E. Shay. 3 ch.
(3) Richard: b. 1843; d. 1908; m. March 12, 1879, Ruth Michener.
(A) David: b. 1880; d. 1884.
(B) William E.: b. 1881; m. Martha Simpson. 1 ch.
(C) George S.: b. 1884; d. March 29, 1920; m. Edith Boone.
(D) Sarah: b. 1889.
(4) Joseph: b. Sept. 11, 1848; m. March 3, 1870, Mary W. Evans.
(A) William E.: b. March 20, 1871; m. March 29, 1894, Florence V. L. Roberts.
(a) Joseph William: b. Sept. 24, 1898.
(b) Florence Mary: b. Jan. 21, 1904.
(c) Mary Frances: b. Nov. 9, 1905.

(d) Alvin Lovett: b. Oct. 23, 1908.

(B) Howard W.: b. Oct. 14, 1872; m. Jan. 2, 1893, Elizabeth C. Paxon.

(a) Elsie Anna: b. Dec. 8, 1893; d. in inf.

(b) Cecil P.: b. March 31, 1895; d. in inf.

(c) Helen Martha: b. July 21, 1899; m. March 24, 1921, Herbert G. Moyer.

1. Roy H.: b. Dec. 20, 1921.
2. Elizabeth Marie: b. Jan. 27, 1927.

(d) Eugene Jesse: b. Nov. 28, 1902.

(e) William Howard: b. Sept. 18, 1906.

(C) Iden F.: b. Jan. 22d, 1875; m. Oct. 22, 1902, Irene Van Emburg.

(a) Clifford Evans: b. Sept. 11, 1904; m. June 30, 1928, Olive Lee Thompson.

(b) Edwin Bogert: b. March 19, 1906.

(c) Iwen Vincent: b. May 11, 1911.

(D) Iwen J.: b. Jan. 22, 1875; m. June 18, 1901, Leva C. Lester; m. (2), Feb. 10, 1917, Martha Jane Stephens.

(a) Lester Willard: b. July 12, 1902; m. Sept. 14, 1924, Ella Metzler.

(b) Earl Newton Lake: b. Sept. 26, 1910.

(E) Jesse C.: b. April 22, 1884; m. Sept., 1915, Anna Shallcross.

Descendants of Edward Roberts
Montgomery County, Pennsylvania

First Generation

H142 I—Edward Roberts, the progenitor of this family in America, was born in Wales about 1690 and died in Providence Township, Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania, now Lower Providence Township, Montgomery County. His will was proved January 16, 1753. The original Roberts homestead was near the present town of Eagleville, about twenty-one miles northwest of Philadelphia. From the top of the hill above Eagleville one can see lands in seven Counties, the view being considered one of the most beautiful in the State. A few of the families who settled in this region with whom certain of the Roberts have blood ties are Lane, Rambo, Bull, Pawling, Pennypacker, Horning, Tyson, Davis, Curry, Boyer, Baker, Francis, Pugh.

Second Generation

II—1. Children of Edward Roberts and ————————.

a. Samuel Roberts, who married Catherine Francis (?), March 1, 1740, and lived and died in Providence Township. Will proved September 16th, 1797. A reputable Genealogist reports that the seal on the will of Samuel Roberts has a bird on a design which is apparently heraldic. He divised one plantation to a son, Samuel, and one to Arnold. Previously he had conveyed a plantation to a son, Edward.

b. Jane Roberts.

c. Ann Roberts, who married Thomas Turner.
d. Susannah, who married William Edward.
e. Edward Roberts.
f. Febe Roberts.

Third Generation

III—1. Children of Samuel and Catherine (Francis) Roberts.

a. Edward Roberts, eldest son, born about 1741, died in 1810. Proof of heirship made May 17, 1810. He married Alice Rambo. License issued April 8th, 1768. She was the daughter of John Rambo and Hannah Lane and a direct descendant of Peter Gunnarson Rambo, Peter Larrson Cock, Samuel Richardson and Edward Lane, who are frequently mentioned in early Pennsylvania settlements. The War of Independence was a part of the daily life of the residents of Lower Providence. Edward Roberts and his brothers, John and Samuel, were in the Company of Captain Arnold Francis, being listed in the Return of the Sixth Battalion of Philadelphia County Militia, Eighth Company. Edward Roberts was in the fifth class according to Pennsylvania Archives, Volume 1, 6th Series, Page 913.

b. Samuel Roberts, who was born about 1750 and died Feb. 24th, 1803, married Lydia Horning, daughter of Samuel and Martha Horning.

c. Arnold Roberts, who died November 7th, 1820, at the age of 76 years and 10 months. Arnold was one of the Trustees of Lower Providence Baptist Church. His wife's name was Mary ————.

d. John Roberts, born about 1749. He served in the War of Independence in Captain Arnold Francis' Company heretofore mentioned. Further refence to John Roberts in "American Boyers", page 183, and in Brecht's "General Record of Schwenkfelders Families," page 1320.

e. Mary Roberts, who married James Sands.

f. Rebecca Roberts, who died March 18th, 1801, at the age of 40. She married James Curry. They left descendants, one being Anita Major, now living in Norristown, Pa.

g. Elizabeth Roberts, who married John Baker, son of Arnold Baker. License issued October 1, 1767. Baker family recorded in "Sketches of the Montgomery County Historical Society," Norristown, Pa.

h. Catherine Roberts, married William Nelson.

i. Hannah Roberts, who died March 14th, 1801, at the age of 54. She married Michael Horning.

j. Rachel Roberts.

Fourth Generation

IV—1. Children of Edward and Alice (Rambo) Roberts.

a. Samuel Roberts, eldest son, who married Barbara ————.

b. John Roberts, of Lower Providence Township, Montgomery County.

c. Jesse Roberts, of Lower Providence Township, Montgomery County.

d. William Roberts, born in Lower Providence Township, Montgomery County, 1783. He died June 27, 1849, at Shavers Creek, near Petersburg, Huntington County, Pennsylvania. Buried in Manor Hill Cemetery near Petersburg. While living in Eckesburg, Perry County, he held Federal and State offices. He first married Mary Peacock, and secondly Martha Bull. See "Bull Family," by Commodore James H. Bull.

e. Jonathan Roberts, of London Britain, Chester County, Pennsylvania.

f. Edward Roberts, of Lower Providence Township, Montgomery County.

g. Jemima, who married Benjamin Davis November 4th, 1792. The Davis lands adjoined or cornered with the Roberts plantation in Lower Providence.

h. Elizabeth Roberts, who married Joseph Johnson, of Worcester Township, Montgomery County.

i. Alice Roberts, who married Alexander Phillips, of Lower Providence.

IV—2. Children of Arnold Roberts and Mary ————.

a. Samuel Roberts, who married Martha Pugh, daughter of John and Rebecca Pugh, on April 10th, 1810.

b. John Roberts.

c. Elizabeth Roberts, who married Andrew Casselbury.

d. Mary Roberts, who married Daniel Tyson.

e. Sarah Roberts, who married Jacob Highly.

f. Catherine Roberts, who married Richard Pennypacker. License issued March 15th, 1810. The Pennypacker family is one of the oldest and most distinguished families in Pennsylvania. Samuel Pennypacker, of this family, served as Jurist and Governor of the State.

IV—3. Children of John Roberts and ————.

a. Catherine Roberts, born January 21st, 1777. Married Henry Boyer. See "American Boyers."

b. Hannah Roberts.

Fifth Generation

V—1. Children of William and Martha (Bull) Roberts, and children of William and Mary (Peacock) Roberts. Children of William and Martha (Bull) Roberts:

a. Henry Bull Roberts, born October 28th, 1820, at Donnelly's Mill, Perry County, Pennsylvania. Married February 4th, 1864, to Nancy Jane Meredith, daughter of Samuel Black and Margaret (Donnelly) Meredith, who was born at Donnelly's Mill January 7th, 1845. He died July 28th, 1887. Henry B. Roberts is buried at Middle Creek Cemetery, Winnebago, Ill. When a young man in Pennsylvania, he engaged in farming and teaching, also started in the mercantile business but in 1849 came to the Middle West. Nancy Jane

Roberts died May 21, 1919, and is buried in Middle Creek Cemetery.

b. Edward Rambo Roberts, born January 2d, 1823. Married November, 1852, Ann Hamer, who was born at Petersburg, Pa., November 26th, 1833, and died July 12th, 1908. He died March 27th, 1898. Both buried at Winnebago, Ill.

c. Mary Peacock Roberts, born June 23d, 1828. Married A. Clark Myton, who died in 1886. She died March 10th, 1916. No issue. Children of William and Mary (Peacock) Roberts.

d. Jonathan Roberts, born August 29th, 1810, married Mary Jane Wilson, died July 11th, 1836, and buried in Middle Creek Cemetery.

e. Rebecca Jane Roberts, who married David Patterson.

f. Eliza Roberts, who married (1) Robert Elliott.

V—2. Children of Samuel and Martha (Pugh) Roberts.

a. Samuel Roberts, who died in infancy and is buried in St. James Episcopal Churchyard, Evansburg, Pa.

V—3. Children of Henry and Catherine (Roberts) Boyer. See "American Boyers."

Sixth Generation and Later

VI—1. Children of Henry Bull and Nancy J. (Meredith) Roberts:

a. Mattie, born November 20th, 1865, at Winnebago, Ill., died April 10th, 1883. She is buried at Middle Creek Cemetery, Winnebago, Ill.

b. Jessie Meredith, born February 20th, 1868, at Winnebago, Ill. Married October 8th, 1890, Charles Edward Morse, son of William and Nancy (Matthews) Morse, died May 19th, 1899. Jessie Meredith Roberts graduated from Rockford, Ill., Female Seminary. Charles Edward Morse graduated at Oberlin College, A.B. She lives in Evanston, Ill. He is buried at Winnebago. There are two daughters, Mrs. Beverly B. Vedder, Winnetka, Ill., and Mrs. Jas. Dale Thom, Evanston, Ill.

c. Blanche, born at Winnebago, Ill., May 20th, 1878. Married February 19th, 1896, Demus Wasmus Grippen, Jr., son of Demus Wasmus and Margaret (Wallace) Grippen, born February 15th, 1876, at Winnebago, Ill. They live at Mason City, Iowa. Demus Wasmus Grippen, Sr., was First Lieutenant of 146th Regiment, Illinois Volunteer Infantry in the Civil War. Blanche and Demus Grippen have four sons, Bruce, Charles, Roger and Demus, Jr.

d. Samuel Henry, born February 1st, 1883, at Winnebago, Ill.; married June 15th, 1912, Katharine Sherwood Marble, who was born at Canton, Ohio, April 8th, 1891, daughter of Guilford Lionel Marble and Lenore K. Sherwood. Samuel Henry Roberts was graduated from the University of Michigan (Ann Arbor), A.B. 1905 and LL.B. 1907. For fifteen years he was House Attorney for John V. Farwell Co., Chicago, the western pioneer jobbing and wholesale house, handling dry goods and general merchandise lines. He is now Gen-

eral Land Commissioner of Capitol Reservation Lands (X. I. T. Ranch), which originally consisted of 3,000,000 acres given the Farwell family and others in exchange for building the State Capitol of Texas. In 1910 he was National President of the Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity and is a member of the honorary law scholarship society, Order of the Coif; also a "Barrister." *Book references*: "Leading Greeks," edited 1915 at Evanston, Ill., by William C. Levere; "The X. I. T. Ranch and the Early Days of the Llano Escacado," by Prof. J. Evetts Haley, Lakeside Press, Chicago, 1929; "Bull Family of Pennsylvania," by Commodore Jas. H. Bull, published 1919, Shannon-Conmy Company, San Francisco. Katharine Sherwood Roberts, *Wife,* attended University of Michigan and is a member of Kappa Alpha Theta and D. A. R. Her grandfather, Gen. Isaac R. Sherwood, was Secretary of State of Ohio (1869-1873), and Congressman from Toledo, Ohio, district many terms. *Children*: Sherwood Roberts, born March 24th, 1913; Samuel Meredith Roberts, born October 3d, 1915. *Clubs*: University Club of Chicago; Shawnee Country Club, Wilmette, Ill.; La Jolla (California) Country Club, La Jolla (California) Yacht Club. *Addresses* (Business): 208 South La Salle St., Chicago, and Dalhart, Tex; (Home) 1465 Torrey Pines Road, La Jolla, Calif.

Samuel Henry Roberts also traces lineage to Peter Gunnarson Rambo (French-Swedish descent) and Peter Cock, who came to the Delaware, 1640, with Peter Minuit Expedition, both frequently mentioned in early Pennsylvania and Delaware Colonial history; to Albert Heymans Roosa, who came to New Netherlands (N. Y.) in April, 1660; to Henry Pawling, who came with Duke of York's Expedition, 1664; to Edward Lane, who came to Pennsylvania prior to 1683 and whose line dates back to Battle Abbey; to Samuel Richardson of William Penn's Provincial Council; to David Meredith, early pioneer of Chester County, Pa., whose family claims descent from Welsh King; to Capt. John Rush, of Cromwell's Army; to Thomas Robinson, pioneer of Western Pennsylvania. ("Thomas Robinson," by Rev. Thos. Hasting Robinson, under name Meredith.)

e. Ethel, born December 30th, 1885, at Winnebago, Ill. She attended Fairmont Seminary, Washington, D. C., and is Director of Art in Public Schools, Mason City, Iowa.

VI—2. Children of Edward R. and Ann (Hamer) Roberts.

a. William Hamer Roberts, married Anna Powell. He died June 23d, 1886. No issue.

b. Alfred Thomas Roberts, born August 4th, 1855. Married May 4th, 1876, Nellie Smith, daughter of Frank Adams and Sarah Brown Smith. They live in Long Beach, Calif., and have children living: Stella Claudine Bunn, Byron, Ill.; Henry Brown Roberts; Henry Clyde Roberts; Thomas Clifford Roberts, Fred White Roberts—all of Long Beach, Calif; William Homer Roberts, Ontario, Calif.; Mrs. Joseph C. Welch, Ojai, Calif.

c. Mary Peacock Roberts, born November 18th, 1859. Married October 4th, 1887, John Elmer Compton. She died March 17th, 1902, leaving children: Mrs. Vera Emery, Genevieve Compton, Elmer Carlyle Compton and Albert Edward Compton, all living at Rockford, Ill.

d. Edward Roberts, born April 30th, 1869. Married October 6th, 1898, Leonora Miller. They live in Rockford, Ill., and have children living there. Eleanor, Roland Karl, also a son, Allan Miller, living in Long Beach, Calif.

VI—3. Children of Jonathan and Mary J. (Wilson) Roberts.

a. Martha Bull, born July 16th, 1841. Married David Wray Linn, February 24th, 1864. She died January 24th, 1894, leaving children: Mrs. Mary Leonard, Byron, Ill.; Scott William Linn, Electrical Engineer, *Cleveland,* Ohio. Homer Roberts Linn, Executive with American Radiator Co., Chicago, lives La Grange, Ill. Francis David Linn, Byron, Ill. Margaret Bertha Linn.

b. Mary Ellen, born December 14th, 1843. Married John Henry Temple. They have children: Harry Roberts Temple, Architect, Champaign, Ill.; William Ralph Temple, Edward Jonathan Temple.

c. Scott William Roberts, born 1845, died 1847.

VI—4. Children of Rebecca Jane (Roberts) and David Patterson.

a. Martha L. Patterson, who married Zenas L. Merritt, and had children, Marie Jane and Alice.
Marie Jane Merritt married Walter Olds, Esq., who was a Supreme Court Justice of Indiana. Now deceased.
Mrs. Olds resides at Ft. Wayne, Indiana.
Kate Merritt, lives at Mount Gilead, Ohio.

b. Andrew, married secondly Nellie Heisey, to whom were born Frank and Rebecca. Rebecca married Dr. Carl Stutsman, of Burlington, Iowa.

c. Thomas E. Patterson, married Emma C. Gillette. They had three children: Nellie, who married Levere Burch; Louise, who married Albert L. Ellis; Fordham.

VI—5. Children of Eliza (Roberts) and Robert Elliott.

a. Charles.
b. Martha Jane.
c. Scott.
d. William Henry.
e. David.
f. Mary Ann, who married Joseph Newton Fullenwider. From this union seven children were born, one being Lavinio Fullenwider, who married Dr. Chas. S. Laughlin, Route 2, Box 21, Vineland, N. J.

I143 JOHN ROBERTS: in Simsbury, Conn., 1688; m. Patience Saxton; d. between 1730 and 1735.

(1) Richard: b. 1692; m. Deborah Moses.
(2) John: b. 1696; m. Frances ——; d. 1724.
(3) William: b. 1699; m. Sarah Mills.

(4) Lemuel: 1701-1772; m. Abigail Beaman.
(A) Lemuel: 1742-1789; m. Ruth Woodford; appointed captain of a company of militia in 1774.
(a) Lemuel: b. 1766; m. Roxe Gillet.
(b) Samuel: b. 1772; m. Elethea Calkins; m. (2) Pamelia Patchin.
(c) Hezekiah: b. 1781; m. Harriet King.
(B) Nathaniel: b. 1745; m. Rhoda Woodford.
(5) Nathaniel: b. 1704; Yale, 1732; m. Margaret Marsh; m. (2) Esther Loomis; Congregational minister.

J144 MR. ROBERTS: m. Catherine Leefe.
(1) William: d. 1735; m. Dorothy Forbes.
(A) Benjamin: d. 1744; m. Jerusha Pratt; g. granddau. of John Pratt, who came to America with Thomas Hooker 1633 and to Hartford 1636.
(a) George: 1752-1824; served in Revolutionary Army.
1. Ozias: 1785-1868; second of his three wives was Harriet Treat.
A George: 1810-1878; second wife, Elvira Evans.
a Sarah: D.aet.3.
b Henry: 1853-1929 Gov. of Conn. Ch.: Francis D., John T. (m. and had Elizabeth, b. 1918), Edward C.
c Jane: m. George D. Holton; 5 ch., all married.
d George: 1845-1921; m. Ida Hamilton.
(I) Helen.
(II) George: m. Ethel Downes.
(III) Constance: m. H. H. Whaples. Ch.: Anne (b. 1912), Jean (b. 1913).
(IV) Mary: 1883-1918; m. F. G. Smith. Ch.: Robinson (b. 1912), Francis (b. 1913), David (b. 1915), Eleanor (b. 1917).
(V) Walter: m. Polly Hutchins. Ch.: Sally (b. 1918).
(VI) Philip: 1887-1925; m. Harriet Cook. Ch.: Ann Hamilton (b. 1925).
(VII) Louise.
e Martha: m. Edward C. Ritchie.
f Mary: 1843-1921; m. George C. Perkins.
(I) Mabel: m. Horace D. Clark.

K145 JOSEPH ROBERTS: b. in Brentwood, N. H., 1756; served in Revolutionary Army; m. Esther Hamlin; m. (2) Margaret Hall; lived in Windham, Me.
(1) Isaac: 1784-1862; m. Abigail Merrill; m. (2) Sarah Cobb.
(A) Justin: 1811-1846; m. Mary Jane McLeod.
(a) Charles Justin: 1843-1892; m. Maranda W. Warren.
(B) Milton M.: 1815-1895; m. Elizabeth Cates Roberts.
(a) Milton M.: b. 1847.
(C) Clarkson B.: 1818-1896; m. Mary Nickerson.
(D) Isaac Pennington: b. 1826; m. Harriet Stanley.
(a) Lester Manter: b. 1857; Wisconsin State Univ., 1882.

(b) Warren Norton: b. 1839; m. Mary E. Parsons; m. (2) Louisa Roberts; m. (3) Georgia Robinson.

(2) Jacob: 1784-1856; m. Huldah Moulton Myrick; physician.

(A) Hamlin Myrick: 1811-1856; m. Mary Ann Rich.

(a) Allen Hamlin: b. 1836; m. Kate Weatherhead.

(b) Francis Alton: 1839-1892; Hahnemann, 1861; m. Mary F. Huzzy.

(c) Cassius Clay: b. 1845; served in Civil War, raised to Captain by brevet; m. Pauline E. Colcord; m. (2) Margaret Bennett.

(B) Jacob Wellington: 1813-1849; m. Phebe Susan Abbot; m. (2) Jane Lippencott.

(a) Edward Junius: b. 1839; Philadelphia Dental College, 1865; m. Emma Evans.

1. Arthur Wellington: b. 1868.

2. Orville Leslie: b. 1874.

(b) Freeman: b. 1840; served in Civil War; m. Aurelia York.

1. Junius Everett: b. 1875; m. Blanche Whittum.

A Edward Freeman: b. 1901.

(C) Barnabas Myrick: 1818-1896; m. Emeline Rich; state senator for two years.

(a) Charles Sumner: 1851-1882; m. Faustina Marden. Ch.: Alton (1880).

(b) Woodbury Davis: b. 1855; m. Evelyn Cheney. Ch.: Fred Barnabas (b. 1885), Edward Cheney (b. 1892).

(c) Charles Linneus: 1821-1896; m. Caroline P. Metcalf.

1. Charles Addison: b. 1862; m. Mary Wolcott.

A George Seacord: b. 1891.

B Wolcott: b. 1897.

(D) Porteus Beezaleel: 1823-1888; m. Mary Preckett.

(a) Charles Wellington: b. 1850; m. Sarah Lusk.

1. Porteus Henry: b. 1885.

(b) Campbell Myrick: b. 1865; m. Mattie Morris.

1. Arthur Campbell: b. 1892.

(c) Lincoln Hamlin: b. 1877; m. Nettie Morris.

(E) William Pinkney: b. 1836; physician; m. Susan A. Weeks; m. (2) Cora B. Ferris.

(3) Gilman: 1788-1877; m. Ann Leathers; m. (2) Susan Bachelder.

(A) Ahira: 1812-1894; m. Mary Ann Durgin.

(a) Samuel Gilman: b. 1843; m. Mrs. Jennis Baldwin; Fargo, N. D., 1871.

(b) Albert: b. 1844; served in Civil War; m. Isabella M. McKinley; member of the State legislature for two years.

1. Floyd John: b. 1876; physician.

2. Lloyd Albert: b. 1876 (twin); farmer.

(4) Enoch: 1791-1858; m. Eleanore Leathers; m. (2) Eliza Aborn.

(A) Jacob: 1818-1889; m. Cynthia Badger.

(a) Henry L.: b. 1852.

(b) William J.: b. 1856.

(c) Herbert F.: b. 1858; m. Hattie Briggs. Ch.: Hovey L. (1893).

(d) Melvin W.: b. 1862; m. Annie Hall. Ch.: Earle Melvin (1893).

(e) George Atwood: b. 1865; m. Lilla V. Austin.
(B) Gilman: m. Abigail Wilson; m. (2) Lovisa Turner.
(C) Alfred: m. Emily Dean. Ch.: Edwin.
(5) Joseph, Jr.: 1799-1885; m. Lydia Knight.
(A) Nathaniel Knight: 1832-1875; served in Civil War.
(6) Benjamin: b. 1804 and d. in a rebel prison during Civil War.
(A) Charles H.: b. 1853; m. Julia Douglas; m. (2) Lillian Woodbury.
(a) Stanley J.: b. 1873.
(7) John: 1806-1886; m. Harriet Jackson.
(A) Sharon: b. 1836; m. Ann Mary Boody.
(B) Jay: b. 1842; served in the Civil War and d. of Southern fever in Louisiana, 1863.
(C) Everett W.: b. 1846; m. Melissa A. Munson; m. (2) Mrs. Viola Phelps.
(a) Bert: b. 1872; m. Verna Hanson.
(b) Frank: b. 1886.
(8) Alfred J.: 1807-1868; m. Caroline Davis; m. (2) Sarah Watson.
(9) Timothy T.: 1812-1868; m. Nancy E. Gardiner.
(A) William Henry Harrison: b. 1835; m. Esther B. Rand.
(a) Forrest K.: b. 1860; m. Mabel Penney.
(b) Elmer G.: b. 1862; m. Estelle Card.
(B) Manter Alverado: b. 1838; m. Mercy P. Silsby; served in the Civil War.
(C) Oscar E.: b. 1844; served in the Civil War; m. Romilia A. Clements.
(10) Nathan Hall: 1815-1892; m. Elvira Irish; m. (2) Mary Sophia Langham.
(A) Arrington: b. 1842; m. Jeannette Ray (separated); m. Josephine Burnham.
(B) Charles A.: b. 1846; m. Matilda Moran. Ch.: Will (b. 1869), Lee (b. 1871; m. Grace Gurley; two ch.), Charles (b. 1876).
(C) John Nelson: b. 1876; m. Jessie Shugars; served in the Spanish-American War.
(D) Guy Hall: b. 1877; m. Dora Shipton; served in the Spanish-American War; graduate of the University of Minnesota.
(11) Winslow: 1821-1879; captain in the U. S. Coast Guards during latter part of the Civil War; m. Amelia Putnam; m. (2) Cornelia Rand; m. (3) Maria Bangs.
(A) Edward W.: b. 1865; m. Grace Burwell.
(B) James Alton: b. 1874; m. George Anna Guptill.
(C) Walter Henry: b. 1876; m. Mary Elizabeth Harvey.
(12) Rufus: 1823-1900; m. Adelin Files; went to Minnesota with brothers; second lieutenant in the Civil War.
(A) Fred Leslie: b. 1854; m. Josie Briley (divorced).
(a) Leslie Perry: b. 1878; m. May Hoffman. Ch.: Earl Roberts (1898).
(B) Frank H.: b. 1860; m. Sadie Kessler; m. (2) Annie E. Sutherland.
(a) Howard LeRoy: b. 1887.

L146 JONATHAN ROBERTS: b. about 1766; m. Prudence Willard.
(1) Jothan: 1787-1865; m. Mary Richardson; m. (2) Lydia Doe

(Doble); m. (3) Hannah Woodman (Walker).
(A) Orlando: b. 1817; m. —— Neal.
(a) Thomas Loring: b. 1822; m. Nancy Ellen Perry; served in the Civil War.
(B) Albert Augustus: 1832-1901; m. Maria Louisa Woodman; served in the Civil War.
(2) Daniel: b. 1791; m. Mary Haskell.
(3) Willard: b. 1796; m. Ruth Edwards.
(A) Alonzo: 1819-1894; m. Eunice Stevens.
(a) George Bean: b. 1864; m. Carrie M. Crane.
JOHN (bro. of Jonathan): m. Miriam Irish; emigrated to state of Ohio, 1812.
(1) Sylvanus: d. 1872; m. Mary Jane Thompson; m. (2) Remember Warren.
(A) Lloyd: m. Ella Griffin. Ch.: Edmund.
(B) Dexter: m. Belle Libby. Ch.: Harry.

M147 EDWARD ROBERTS: came from Virginia and settled at or near Richmond, Madison Co., Kentucky; m. Elizabeth McHenry, who was born in 1780 and d. in 1855.
(1) Squier: 1800-1861; m. Penelope Prentice and had 12 ch., one of whom was
(A) Bolin Emery: 1830-1900; m. Margaret Katherine Pickens, 1846-1885.
(a) Shelby Saufley: b. 1874; m. Nell Ackley Richardson; b. 1876.
1. Nell Richardson: b. 1902; m. John Mitchell Owens; 1 son, John Mitchell.
2. Shelby Chilton: b. 1904; m. Virginia Carpenter; 1 son, Shelby Chilton, Jr.
3. Sarah Pickens: b. 1906.

N148 NAHUM ROBERTS: b. April 16, 1804; d. Dec. 14, 1859; m. Sally Brock Hemenway, Nov. 15, 1828. He was a descendant of that Roberts who came from Chester, England, and who was one of the first settlers in Portsmouth, N. H. His branch of the family settled in or about Wells, Me. Ch.: John H. (see below), Philander, Byron, Abbie, William Harrison, Lake H., Albert F., Sarah D., N. Frank.
N149 JOHN HEMENWAY ROBERTS: b. Oct. 8, 1831, in Alfred, Me.; d. Dec. 22, 1898, in Chelsea, Mass.; m. Louisa Southward, April 24, 1859. Ch.: Lillian Louise (see below), Gertrude, Martha E. B. (now dec.).
N150 LILLIAN LOUISE: m. Alfred J. Hayman.
(1) Stuart Roberts.
(2) Lillian Louise.
(3) Col. John Hemenway.

O151 WILLIAM WICKENHAM ROBERTS: b. about 1829 in Western New York; m. Jane French, b. near Rochester.
(1) William Hinman: b. near Joliet, Ill., 1855; m. Daner Alma McDonald, in Chicago, 1887.
(A) Helen H.: b. Chicago, 1888. Add.: Kent Hall, Yale University, New Haven, Conn.

(B) Mildred Jessie: b. Chicago, 1891; m. Martin Robert Broman, Dec., 1922.
(C) Wesley Kilmore: b. Chicago, 1894; unm.
(2) Cora.

P152 CHARLES H. ROBERTS: m. Martha J. Roberts; issue.
P153 HOWARD LACEY ROBERTS: b. Feb. 16, 1859; m. Anna Elizabeth Smith (b. June 27th, 1861).
(1) Ethel Lacey: b. Dec. 7, 1881.
(2) Anna Richardson: b. May 10, 1883; d. July 30, 1883.
(3) Katharine Warrington Andrews: b. Oct. 30, 1885; d. March 6, 1891.
(4) Annette Marcellus: b. March 26, 1889; d. March 28, 1889.
(5) Howard Lacey, Jr.: b. Oct. 6, 1890; m. Mildred Scanton.
(A) Jean Lois: b. Oct. 28, 1917.
(B) Howard Lacey, 3rd: b. Jan. 14, 1919.
(C) John Scanlon: b. Jan. 15, 1921.
(D) Shirley Dubree: b. Jan. 20, 1925.
(E) Barbara Mildred: b. June 13, 1926.
(6) C. T.: m. Wilhelmina Octavia Hallen, Nov. 28, 1918.
(A) Charles Thrope, Jr.: b. Nov. 4, 1919.
(B) Vail Roberts: b. Feb. 3, 1927 (adpt. dau.).
(7) J. L.: d. Feb. 20, 1928.
(8) R. S.: m. Ruth Hickman, Dec. 25, 1927.

Q154 JOHN ROBERTS: m. Julia Bergen; settled in Cullahill, Queen's Co., Ireland.
(1) Catherine: m. James Ryan.
(A) James.
(B) Catherine: now Mrs. Claude Kalen.
(2) William: m. Annie Butler, Feb. 16, 1896; d. Feb. 7, 1921.
(A) Rev. John S.: b. May 3, 1897; Priest, R. C. Church; appt. to Mission Dolores Church, San Francisco, Feb. 21, 1900. Add.: Mission Dolores, 3321 16th St., San Francisco, Calif.
(B) Mary A.: (Mrs. A. J. Cabral). Ch.: Richard, John, Thomas, Annie (m. John Koehnke, 1 son, John), Patrick.

R155 BENJAMIN ROBERTS: came to New York State from Litchfield
R156 HORACE ROBERT: father of
R157 WILLIAM HENRY ROBERTS: m. Fanny Platner, dau. of a Holland Dutch settler somewhere near Cooperstown or Westford, Cherry Valley or Scherevus, Ostego Co., N. Y.
R158 CHARLES ALBERT ROBERTS: m. Jennie Colby.
R159 WALTER O. ROBERTS: b. Brockport, N. Y.; m. Helen Woodworth, of Rochester, N. Y., 1911.
(1) Walter Otis, Jr.

S160 JOHN A. ROBERTS: m. and had 3 ch.; served in the Confederate Army of the Civil War and carried Lee's last message to Jackson.
(1) William Edwards: m. Rebecca Bertha White at Vicksburg, Miss., 1896-7.
(A) William Edwards, Jr.: b. Vicksburg, Miss., Feb. 22, 1898; in 1917, enlisted in the U. S. Navy and went overseas; m., July

26, 1927, Grace Law. Ch.: Patricia Ann, b. July 4, 1928.

(2) Mamie: m. Charles Woodin, of Wesson, Miss.; 2 ch.: Albert and Charles.

(3) Morgan Hughes: m. Mae Paquet at Vicksburg; 1 son, John.

(B) Laura Evelyn: b. July 24, 1899; m., June, 1922, William Fair McDuff; have 2 daus., Rebecca Lee and Laura Evelyn.

(C) John Baldwin (Jack): b. Nov. 6, 1902, Vicksburg, Miss.

T161 DAVID ROBERTS: b. 1794; d. 1864; went to Michigan from Ohio some time in the 1830's; m. Cathrine Maguier and had

(1) Frank T.: b. 1848; d. 1882; m. Celiah Ellsworth and had

(A) Lulu A. Roberts: b. 1872; m. Harry Brawnell; has 7 ch.

(B) Ellsworth Willis: b. 1874. Add.: 65 Rose St., Battle Creek, Mich.

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(H) ROBERTS IN THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

Officers of the Continental Army

Algernon Roberts (Pa.). Lieutenant Philadelphia Battalion Pennsylvania Militia in 1776.

Benjamin (Va.). Captain of Clark's Illinois Regiment, 1778 to 1781.

Cyrus (Va.). 1st Lieutenant 14th Virginia, 28th November, 1776; Captain, 15th January, 1778; retired 30th September, 1778.

Daniel (Ga.). Lieutenant Georgia Rangers; taken prisoner at Savannah, 4th March, 1776; Major, 3d Georgia, 5th July, 1776; Lieutenant-Colonel, 2d Georgia, 21st March, 1778; died 18th November, 1779.

James (Mass.). 2d Lieutenant of Scammon's Massachusetts Regiment, May to December, 1775; Major and Lieutenant-Colonel Massachusetts Militia, 1776-1780.

Jesse (Pa.). 2nd Lieutenant of Lewis' Pennsylvania Battalion of the Flying Camp, July, 1776; 2d Lieutenant 10th Pennsylvania, 4th December, 1776, but does not appear to have joined this regiment.

John (Mass.). 1st Lieutenant of Spencer's Continental Regiment, 18th February, 1777; resigned 15th September, 1777.

John (N. Y.). 2d Lieutenant of Malcolm's Continental Regiment, 6th February, 1777; 1st Lieutenant, 17th November, 1777; Captain-Lieutenant, 16th June, 1778; resigned 1st April, 1779; name also spelled Robert.

John (Va.). Surgeon 6th Virginia, 1st February, 1777; transferred to 4th Virginia, 14th September, 1778; transferred to 10th Virginia, 1st August, 1779; served on staff of General Lafayette in 1781; served to close of war. (Died 21st April, 1821.)

John (Va.). Lieutenant of Clark's Illinois Regiment, 1779-1782.

John (N. C. and Va.). Lieutenant 5th North Carolina, 28th March, 1777; retired 1st June, 1778; Captain Virginia Convention Guards, 11th January, 1779; Major, 5th March, 1779; retired 1st May, 1781. (Died 30th November, 1843.)

Joseph (N. H.). Captain New Hampshire Militia, 1776.

Moses (Mass.). 1st Lieutenant, 15th Massachusetts, 1st January, 1777;

Captain, 1st March, 1779; killed at Young's House, 3d February, 1780.

Owen (S. C.). Major, 1st South Carolina, 17th June, 1775; Lieutenant-Colonel, 4th South Carolina (Artillery), 14th November, 1775; Colonel, 16th September, 1776; killed at Stono Ferry, 20th June, 1779.

Richard Brooke (S. C). Captain 4th South Carolina (Artillery), 1779; Aide-de-Camp to General Lincoln in 1782, to close of war; Captain, 2d United States Infantry, 4th March, 1791; assigned to 2d Sub Legion, 4th September, 1792; Major, 3d Sub Legion, 28th February, 1793; assigned to 4th Infantry, 1st November, 1796; died 19th January, 1797.

Samuel (Pa.). Lieutenant Pennsylvania Militia, 1776-1777.

Thomas (Va.). Surgeon 10th Virginia, 1st October, 1778; transferred to 3d Virginia, 1st August, 1779, and served to close of war.

William (Pa.). Captain of Hart's Pennsylvania Battalion of the Flying Camp, July to December, 1776.

William (Va.). Lieutenant of Clark's Illinois Regiment, 1779-1781.

The following Roberts served in the American Revolution from the respective colonies. Figures following some of the names indicate the number of times those names appear on the records examined:

Connecticut: Aaron—4, Abiel—3, Abigail, Amos—2, Asahel, Ashbel, Benjamin, Caleb, Clank—2, Clerk, Collins, Constant—2, D., Daniel—4, David—8, Dudley—2, E., Ebenezer—6, Elijah—5, Eliphalet—2, Eliphalet, Jr., Ezekiel, Elisha—4, Freelone—5, G., George, Gideon, Giles, Hiram, Isaac—3, Isaiah, James—2, Jesse—2, Joel—2, John—18, John 2nd, Jonathan—6, Jonathan, Jr , Joseph—3, Josiah—2, Judah—2, Lebeus, Lemuel—3, Luke—4, Nathan—4, Nathaniel—6, Noah—2, Noah 1st, Parly, Peter—3, Phileman, Jr., Rozil, Samuel—10, Seth, Stephen—5, Thomas—2, William—7, Ziba. *Delaware:* Bignal, George—2, Henry—15, Jeremiah, John—27, Richard—4. *Georgia:* Aaron —2, Amon—2, Daniel, Drury, Elizabeth, Francis—2, Graystock, James—5, John—10, Jonas—3, Reuben—4, Richard—2, Rolin, Thomas—5. *Maryland:* Bazil, Benjamin—2, Edward—7, Henry—3, Horatio—3, John—4, Nathan, Richard—2, Thomas—6, William—11, Zachariah. *Massachusetts:* Aaron Abraham, Amasa, Ard, Benjamin—9, Christopher, Cuff, Daniel, David—5, Ebenezer, Edmund, Edward, Elijah, Fortune, Francis, George—3, Giles—2, James—2, Jeduthan, Jeremiah, John—13, Jonathan—4, Joseph—5, Josiah—2, Lemuel, Love, Moses—3, Peter—2, Reuben, Richard, Samuel—6, Seth, Thomas —6, William—14, William, Jr. *New Hampshire:* Amaziah, Benjamin—4, Cornelius—2, Daniel—2, Ebenezer, Edmund—2, Elisha—5, Ephraim—12, Francis—6, George—9, Griffith, Hatevil—4, James, James, Jr., Jeduthan—7, Jeremiah—2, Joel—4, John—13, Jonathan—3, Joseph—11, Joseph, Jr.—2, Joshua —2, Love—3, Love, Jr., Molly, Moses—17, Nathan—13, Nathaniel—2, Paul—5, Perley—3, Reuben—11, Samuel—14, Seth, Simon—5, Stephen, Thomas—7, Timothy—3, William—11, Ziba. *New Jersey:* Aaron, Adam, Edmund, Ichabod—2, Jacob, James, Jesse, John—3, Joseph—2, Matthew—2, Moses, Samuel, Sears, Stephen—3, Thomas, William—2. *New York:* Amos, Benjamin, Caleb, Daniel—3, Ezekiel, Lt. Ezekiel, Gilbert, Isaac, James—2, John—6, Jonathan, Peter—3, Thomas, Warren. *Pennsylvania:* Abner—2, Ann, Benjamin, Bignal, Clem, Clement—7, Clements, Daniel—4, David—5, Derick, Evan—7, Even, George—5, Griffith, Hugh, Isaac, Israel—2, Isral, Israle, Isreal, Jacob—2, James—8, Jemima, Jeremiah, Jesse—4, John—19, Jonathan—4, Joseph—9, Joshua, Leonard—2, Levi, Levick, Mary, Mordica—2, Nathan—8, Nathen, Nathn., Nathaniel, Patrick—9, Patt—3, Peter, Richard—11, Richison, Sale,

Sale, Jr., Samuel—12, Serick, Thomas—13, William—33. *Rhode Island:* David —7, Duty—6, Ephraim, Ira, John P.—11, Knight—5, Oliver—4, William—5. *Vermont:* Benjamin—4, Christian, Christopher—5, David—6, Eliakim—3, Ezekiel—2, Jeduthan—3, Joel—3, John—18, Lemuel—9, Peter—9, Samuel, Silas, William—7. *Virginia:* Abraham, Alexander, Ambrose, Anthony, Azariah, Barnard, Benjamin—4, Bernard, Cyrus—2, Daniel, David, Edward, Eliab, Elias, Elisha, Evan, George 2nd, Godfrey—2, Godfry, Henry, Hezekiah, Isaac, Izra, Jacob, James, John—6, Joseph—2, Mathew, Michael, Moses, Mourning, Obadiah, Obedience, Philip, Richard—2, Robert, Spencer, Stephen, Thomas—3, William—5, Wilson—2. *Total* 1004.

(I) PROMINENT ROBERTS OF AMERICA, PAST GENERATIONS

Major-Gen. Benjamin Stone Roberts: Soldier; b., Manchester, Vt., 1811; grad., U. S. Military Academy, 1835; invented the Roberts breech-loading rifle. He was assistant geologist of N. Y. and, in 1842, aided Lt. Geo. W. Whistler in constructing the Russian system of railroads. After serving in the Civil War he was professor of military science at Yale until his retirement.

Edmund Quincy: Diplomat; b., Portsmouth, N. H., 1784. It was owing to his suggestion that Congress sent out the U. S. vessels "Peacock" and "Boxer" to make treaties with Muscat, Siam and Cochin-China, appointing him special diplomatic agent. For a detailed account of his successes there see "Embassy to the Eastern Courts" (N. Y., 1837).

Ellis Henry: LL.D.; journalist; b., Utica, N. Y., 1827; served in the State Legislature and in Congress, and was president of the Oneida Historical Society.

George Washington: Soldier; b., Chester Co., Pa., 1833; practiced law in his native county and in Chicago. At the battle of Stone River, Tenn., in 1862, Colonel Roberts led the advance of the 20th Army Corps, drove the enemy to their breastworks and was killed while leading the 42nd Illinois in a successful charge.

Howard: Sculptor; b., Phila., 1843; studied at the Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts and, later, at the Ecole des Beaux-Arts in Paris. His statuette, "Hester and Pearl," exhibited in 1872, won him a membership in the Pennsylvania Academy, and his sculpture, "La Premiere Pose," was awarded a medal at the Centennial Exposition of 1876.

James Booth: Actor; b., Newcastle, Del., 1818; made his debut at the Walnut Street Theatre in Philadelphia, 1836, as Richmond in "Richard III." Later he played at the Drury Lane Theatre in London, and wrote a version of Goethe's "Faust," which he produced in Philadelphia, playing Mephistophles.

Job: Agriculturist; b. near Gwynedd, Pa., 1757. He promoted the manufacture of silk and was among the first men in Pennsylvania to introduce and breed merino sheep.

Jonathan: Senator; b., Upper Merion, Pa., 1771; s. of Jonathan, who served in the Assembly and was one of the delegates to the convention that ratified the constitution of 1787. He served in the Assembly, Congress and the U. S. Senate, and was appointed by President Tyler collector of the Port of Philadelphia.

JOSEPH: Soldier; b., Middletown, Del., 1814; grad., U. S. Military Academy, 1835; was assigned to 4th Artillery and served in the Florida war. He was breveted brigadier-general of the U. S. Army and of Volunteers for meritous service during the Civil War, and, in 1877, was promoted to the rank of colonel and placed on the retired list.

MARSHALL OWEN: Merchant; b., New York City, 1814; s. of a physician who came from Wales in 1798. He built the "Hendrik Hudson" and took a great interest in the Texas Pacific Railroad, investing nearly two million dollars in the enterprise. When Ft. Monroe was threatened in 1861, he raised 1000 men at his own expense and sent them on his steamer "America" to reinforce the garrison.

ROBERT ELLIS: Author; b., Utica, N. Y., 1809. He moved to Detroit, Mich., in 1827, and was responsible for many public improvements in that place.

ROBERT RICHFORD: M. E. bishop; b., Frederick Co., Md., 1778; m. to Ligonier Valley, Pa., 1785; elected bishop May 14th, 1816. He is buried at Greencastle, Ind., on the grounds of De Pauw Univ.

SAMUEL: Lawyer; b., Phila., 1763; was appointed president-judge of the 5th judicial district of Pennsylvania, 1803, and held the office until his death. He was the author of several valuable works on law.

SOLOMON WHITE: Civil engineer; b., Phila., 1811. During a notable career as engineer, he constructed canals, tunnels and railroads. He also served in the Legislature and was a member of many learned societies.

WILLIAM: D.D.; clergyman; b., Llanerchymedd, Wales, 1809; had charge of Welsh churches in New York, Scranton and Utica; several times served as Moderator of the United States Welsh Presbyterian General Assembly.

WILLIAM MILNOR: Civil engineer; b., Phila., 1810; s. of Thomas P. Roberts, treasurer of the Union Canal. In 1879 the Emperor of Brazil appointed him chief of a commission of engineers to examine and report upon the improvement of harbors and navigable rivers of that empire. He died when the survey was nearly complete.

THOMAS PASCHALL: Civil engineer; b., Carlisle, Pa., 1843; joined his father, William Milnor, in Brazil in 1863, when he was employed as an engineer on the Dom Pedro II railway. Later he filled various government positions and made the first examination of the route through the Rocky Mountains, which was adopted by the Northern Pacific Railroad.

(J) PROMINENT AMERICAN ROBERTS OF TODAY

ALBERT H. ROBERTS: Ex-governor; b., Overton Co., Tenn., 1868; s. John A.; A.M., 1892, Hiwassee Coll., Sweetwater, Tenn.; practiced law in Overton Co. and adjoining counties, 1894-1910; mem. M. E. Ch. Add.: Nashville, Tenn.

ALICE MUMFORD: Artist.

ARTHUR JEREMIAH: College pres., b., Waterboro, Md., 1867; s. Albert Hall; B.A., Colby Coll., 1890; M.A., Harvard, 1900; Prof. English lit., 1895-1908; pres. since 1908, Colby Coll. Add.: Waterville, Me.

BENSON HOWARD: Editor; b., Brockport, N. Y., 1853; s. Rev. Benjamin Titus; educ., Dartmouth Coll., 1876; editor and pub. of The Earnest Christian

and Golden Rule (1893-1906). Add.: Catonsville, Md.

Brigham Henry: Ex-Congressman; b., Warrington, Lancashire, Eng., 1857; came to U. S. 1866, settled Utah. Chiefly engaged as editor and writer; has traveled extensively in United States and British Isles. Add.: Brooklyn, N. Y.

(Henry) Chalmers: Editor; b., Austin, Tex., 1870; s. Maj-Gen. A. S.; educ. in private schools and univs. of Va. and Tex.; was attached to U. S. Legation, Constantinople, during 2nd Cleveland administration. Add.: London, England.

Charles Humphrey: Lawyer.

Clarence J.: Lawyer; b., Jefferson Co., Ind., 1873; s. Dan A.; educ., common schools and Southern Ind. Normal School; admitted to Ind. Bar, 1894; mem. 37th Legislative Assembly, N. M., 1909. Add.: Sante Fe, N. M.

Edwin Ewing: Congressman.

Elmer: Newspaper corr.; b., Lagro, Wabash Co., Ind., 1863; s. Rev. Lewis; De Pauw Univ., class of 1885; Reporter Terre Haute, Ind., Express, 1885. Author of "Monarchial Socialism in Germany" (1913). Add.: Paris, France.

Ernest William: Ex-Congressman.

Florence: Actress; b., New York, 1871; d. Henry B.; educ., San Francisco; debut at Baldwin Theatre, San Francisco, 1888, as a super doing extra work. Some of her plays are "Faust," "Magda," etc.

Frank Hunt Hurd: Coll. pres.; b., Mt. Vernon, Ohio, 1869; s. John Henry; Ph.D., Univ. of Denver, 1903; LL.D., 1915; engaged in newspaper work, Ohio, 1889-93; mem. Am. Hist. Assn.; lecturer on history and pedagogy, Colo., 1901-03. Add.: El Paso, Texas.

George: Agronomist; b., Burnside, Ky., 1873; s. Missouri; B. Ped., Univ. of Ky., 1899; teacher public schools of Ky., 1889-95; mem. Am. Soc. Agronomy, Kentucky Academy Sciences. Add.: Lexington, Ky.

George Evan: Banker; b., Delaware Co., Ia., 1857; s. David; educ., common schools of Ia.; learned the printer's trade; proprietor Fort Dodge Messenger, 1878-1909. Author of "Coin at School in Finance," 1895. Add.: New York.

George Litch: Lawyer; b., Boston, 1836; s. Reuben; attended Harvard Law School, 1862; principally identified with patent litigation; mem. Phi Beta Kappa; wrote essay "The Domain of Utilitarian Ethics." Add.: Brookline, Mass.

George Lucas: University prof.; b., Decatur Co., Ind., 1860; s. William; A.M., Columbia, 1910; Master's Diploma in Edn., Teachers' Coll. (Columbia), 1910; head dept. of edn., Purdue Univ., since 1908; mem. Kappa Delta Pi; Methodist. Add.: Lafayette, Ind.

Harlan Page: Lawyer.

Henry: Ex-Governor.

Herbert Rufus: Coll. prof.; b., Brooksville, Me., 1865; s. Darius Lawrence; student Alliance Francaise, Paris, 1898; has served as trustee, Brown Pub. Library, and supt. and dir. pub. schools, Northfield, Vt.; Methodist. Add.: Northfield, Vt.

Isaac Phillips: Educator.

James Cole: Mining engr.; b., Warren Co., N. C., 1863; s. Frederick Cox; Ph.B., Univ. of N. C.; chemist and mill engr. in N. C., 1885-87; now

mgr. Safety Council, Denver; mem. Am. Inst. Mining and Metall. Engrs. Add.: Denver, Colo.

JAMES HUDSON: Clergyman.

JOHN BINGHAM: Surgeon.

JOHN EMERSON: Clergyman.

KATE LOUISE: b., Lodi, N. J.; d. James; grad., Normal School, Newark, N. J.; studied art and music in Berlin and Munich; formerly with pub. library, N. Y. City; compiler of "The Club Woman's Handybook of Programs and Club Management" (1914). Add.: S. Orange, N. J.

KENNETH LEWIS: Writer; b., Kennebunk, Me., 1885; s. Frank Lewis; A.B., Cornell Univ., 1908; editor-in-chief, Cornell Widow, 1905-08; mem. Authors' League America; mem. of St. Botolph Club. Author of "Black Magic." Add.: Phila., Pa.

MARY ELEANOR: Author.

MARY FANTON: Editor; b., New York, 1871; d. W. H.; educ., Albany Female Acad.; was 4 years staff writer on Herald Tribune; on editorial staff Woman's Home Companion. Add.: New York.

MILNOR: Mining engr.; b., New York, 1877; s. William Milnor; A.B., Leland Stanford Univ., 1899; instr. mineralogy, Stanford Univ., 1900; mem. Wash. State Geol. Survey, 1901-02; Episcopalian; mem. Seattle Golf Club. Add.: Seattle, Wash.

OCTAVIA: Author.

OWEN JOSEPHUS: Lawyer; b., Phila., 1875; s. Josephus R.; LL.B., Univ. of Pa., 1898; began practice at Phila., 1898; appointed special dep. atty. gen. to represent U. S. Govt. in prosecution of cases arising under Espionage Act in Eastern Dist. of Pa.; mem. Psi Upsilon. Add.: Philadelphia.

PERCIVAL, JR.: Capitalist; b., Phila., 1857; s. Percival; A.B., Haverford Coll., 1876; director U. S. Steel Corpn. (mem. finance com.). Add.: Philadelphia.

PETER: Clergyman; b. Dowlais, S. Wales, 1859; grad., Brecon Memorial Coll., 1883; ordained Congl. ministry, 1886; mem. Senatus Academisuc, London, Eng. Author of "Anthracite Coal Industry" (1902). Add.: Mt. Vernon, N. Y.

ROBERT: Lawyer; b., Manchester, Vt., 1848; s. Daniel; continued studies Paris and Geneva, 1871-72; began practice at Burlington, 1871; mem. Vt. House of Rep., 1882; mem. S. A. R. Author of "Digest of Decisions of Supreme Court of Vt. from 1879-1910." Add.: Burlington, Vt.

ROY ALLISON: Newspaper corr.; b., Muscotah, Kan., 1887; s. Thomas Stone; Univ. of Kan., 1905-07; began with Lawrence (Kan.) World, 1905, and became city editor; served as capt. Adj.-Gen.'s Dept., Camp Sherman, O.; mem. Alpha Tau Omega; Congregationalist. Add.: Washington, D. C.

SHELBY SAUFLEY: Civil engr.; b., Louisville, Ky., 1874; s. Bolin Emery; LL.B., Washington Coll. of Law, 1925; began in employ of maintenance dept., I. C. R. R., 1898; admitted to bar of D. C., 1925; mem. Am. Ry. Engineering Assn.; Episcopalian. Add.: Washington, D. C.

STEWART RALPH: Prof. medicine; b., Oxford, Ga., 1878; s. James William; studied Harvard Medical School, 1905, 14, 16; physician to Wesley Memorial Hospital; mem. Med. Assn. of Ga. (v. p.); Methodist. Add.: Atlanta, Ga.

THEODORE: Actor.

THOMAS PASCHALL: Engineer.

THOMAS SADLER: M.D.; b., Phila., 1858; s. John; moved to Minn., 1867; M.D.; Univ. of Pa., 1883; interne Phila. Children's Hospital and Phila. City Hospital; mem. Council Am. Ornithologists' Union. Add.: Minneapolis, Minn.

WALTER ADOLPHE: Editor, author; b. at sea, off Jamaica, 1885; s. Adolphus; educ., public schools; editor The American Parade since 1925; mem. Poetry Soc. America. Add.: Brooklyn, N. Y.

WARREN RUSSELL: Civil and mining engr.; b., Sadorus, Champaign Co., Ill., 1863; s. Samuel Martin; gen. engineering practice, 1888-91; engr. of bridges; mem. Am. Soc. C. E. and of Engineers' Club. Add.: Chicago.

WIGHTMAN DURAND: Editor; b., Weaverville, N. C., 1873; s. Jacob Riley; educ., Weaver Coll. and Central Univ. of Ky.; formerly country newspaper editor and railroad industrial writer; founder, 1908, Appalachian Trade Journal, Knoxville, Tenn.; Rep. candidate for Congress, 1924; Episcopalian. Add.: Huntington, W. Va.

WILLIAM BLAIR: Bishop; b., Detroit, Mich., 1881; s. Rev. William Jackson; grad., Berkeley Div. School, 1908; missionary in charge Dallas and other points in the Rosebud Country, S. D., 1908-22; mem. Psi Upsilon and of Soc. Colonial Wars. Add.: Sioux Falls, S. D.

(K) ROBERTS TOWNS, ETC.

There are in the United States towns as follows:

ROBERTS: Idaho, Ill., Md., Miss., Mont., Oregon, Wis.; ROBERTSBURG: W. Va.; ROBERTS CAMP: Calif.; ROBERTSDALE: Ala., Pa.; ROBERTSON: Iowa, Wyo.; ROBERTSTOWN: Ga.; ROBERTSVILLE: Mo., Ohio. There are also in the United States numerous counties, townships, streets, avenues, etc., bearing the name "Roberts." This is eloquent testimony to the high esteem in which the name is held in this country.

(L) ROBERTS CENSUS OF THE UNITED STATES

The compiler of these records has made up a list from city and telephone directories of the United States, and from other sources, as follows. Care was taken to eliminate, wherever possible, persons known or believed to be colored, or of nationalities other than British and American:

Albama	271	Maine	131	Oklahoma	246
Arizona	40	Maryland	134	Oregon	60
Arkansas	69	Massachusetts	851	Pennsylvania	1135
California	955	Michigan	484	Rhode Island	125
Colorado	235	Minnesota	182	South Carolina	26
Connecticut	272	Mississippi	74	South Dakota	27
District of Columbia	142	Missouri	214	Tennessee	361
Delaware	30	Montana	90	Texas	831
Florida	528	Nebraska	112	Utah	16
Georgia	329	Nevada	14	Vermont	33
Idaho	60	New Hampshire	77	Virginia	243
Illinois	816	New Jersey	427	Washington	199
Indiana	491	New Mexico	18	West Virginia	163
Iowa	147	New York	692	Wisconsin	172
Kansas	190	North Carolina	120	Wyoming	11
Kentucky	229	North Dakota	14		
Louisiana	89	Ohio	987	Total	13,162

To secure an estimate of the "Roberts population" of the United States, we figure as follows:

	(a) multiply by
Only about half the names were taken from each directory consulted	2
Half of the Roberts reside in the rural districts or in small towns having no printed directories which were available to us	2
There is an average of more than four persons in each American family	4
Since Roberts daughters marry and have as many descendants as the Roberts sons, there are as many descendants of "other names" as there are bearing the name Roberts (though it is much easier to locate the latter	2
By multiplying each figure of column (a) into the preceding figure, we have a total of	32
Conservative estimate of the Roberts population of the United States, one-half of whom bear the name Roberts and one-half of whom bear other names	421,184

The estimated Roberts population of any of the states may be obtained by multiplying the figures shown by 32. There are Roberts in every state of the Union. The Roberts population of the British Empire is probably equal to that in the United States.

(M) RELIGIONS OF THE ROBERTS

For several centuries the Robertses lived in Wales, England and North Ireland. Most of the British (with the exception of those living in South Ireland) and, likewise, the Robertses were and are of the Protestant faith.

There are a few Robertses of the Catholic faith in the British Isles, but it is estimated that their number does not exceed three per cent. of the entire Roberts population.

The Robertses who came from the British Isles to America continued in the faith of their fathers, for the most part, though their descendants in this country today will be found in the memberships of practically all the various churches. It is estimated that of all the Robertses in America who are church members, at least ninety-five per cent. are of the Protestant faith.

Biographical sketches of 45 Robertses appear in WHO'S WHO IN AMERICA. Their religious faiths are shown as follows: CONGREGATIONALIST, 3; EPISCOPAL, 5; METHODIST, 4; METHODIST EPISCOPAL, 1; other PROTESTANTS, 4; religion not stated, 28.

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